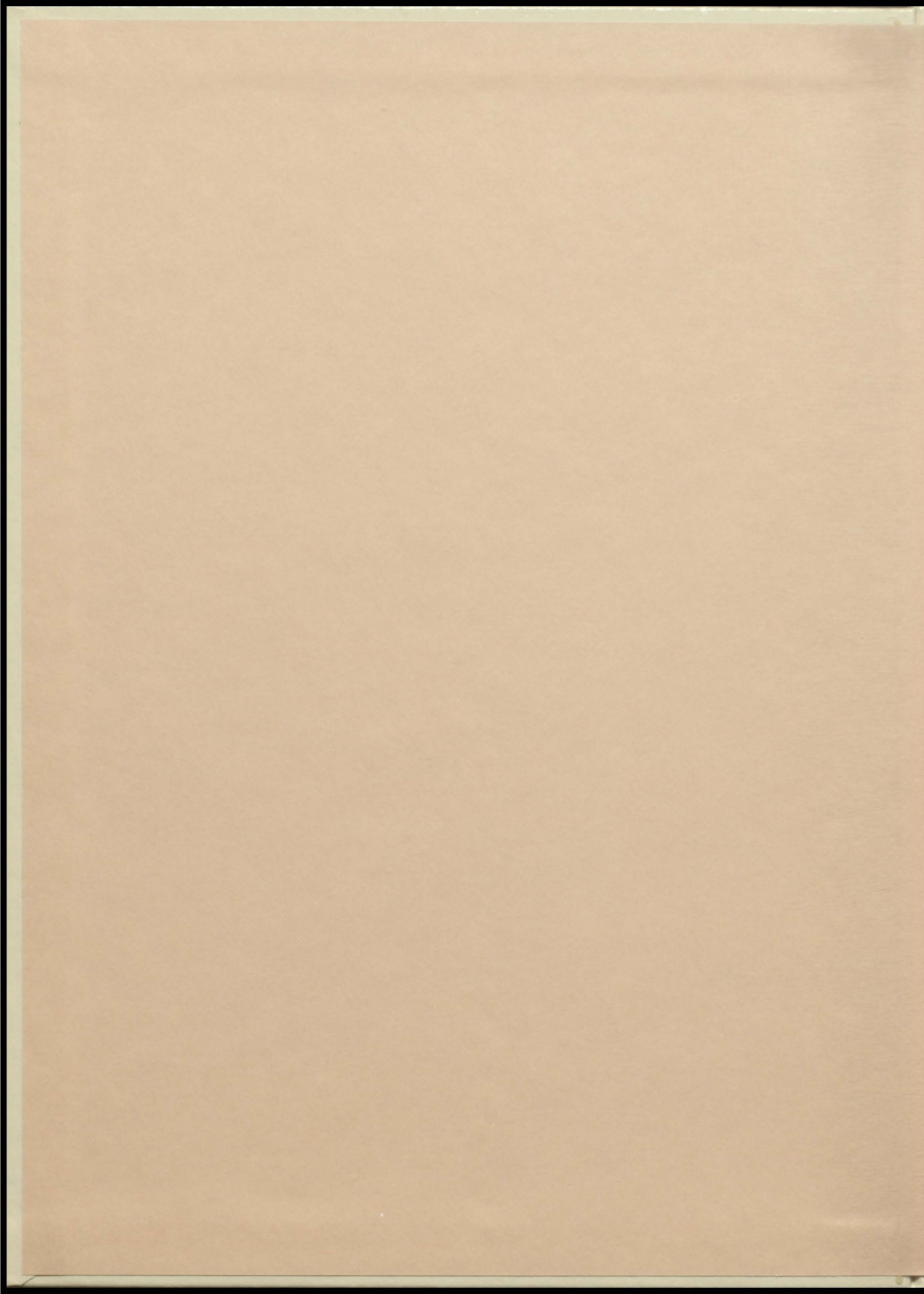
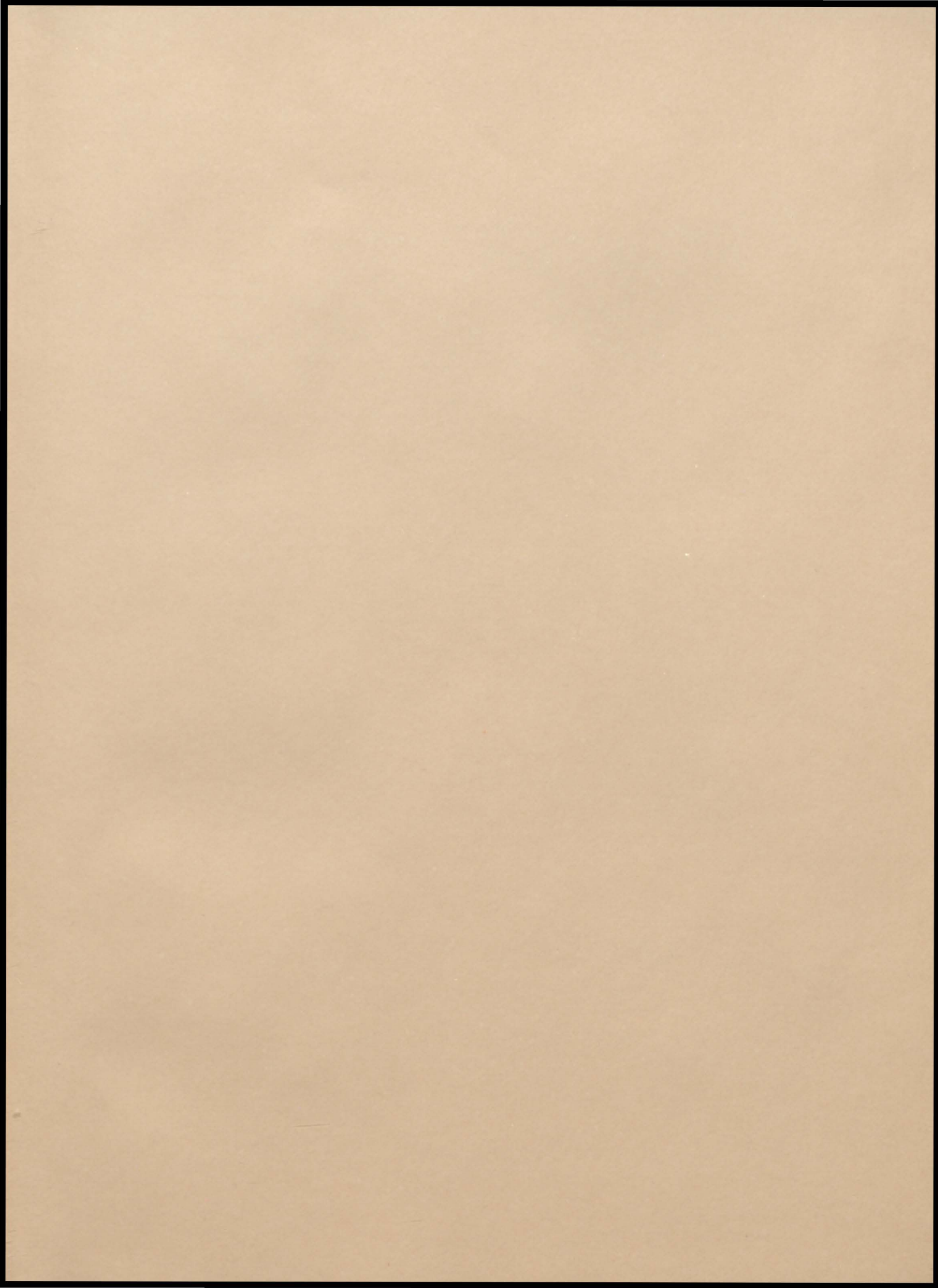
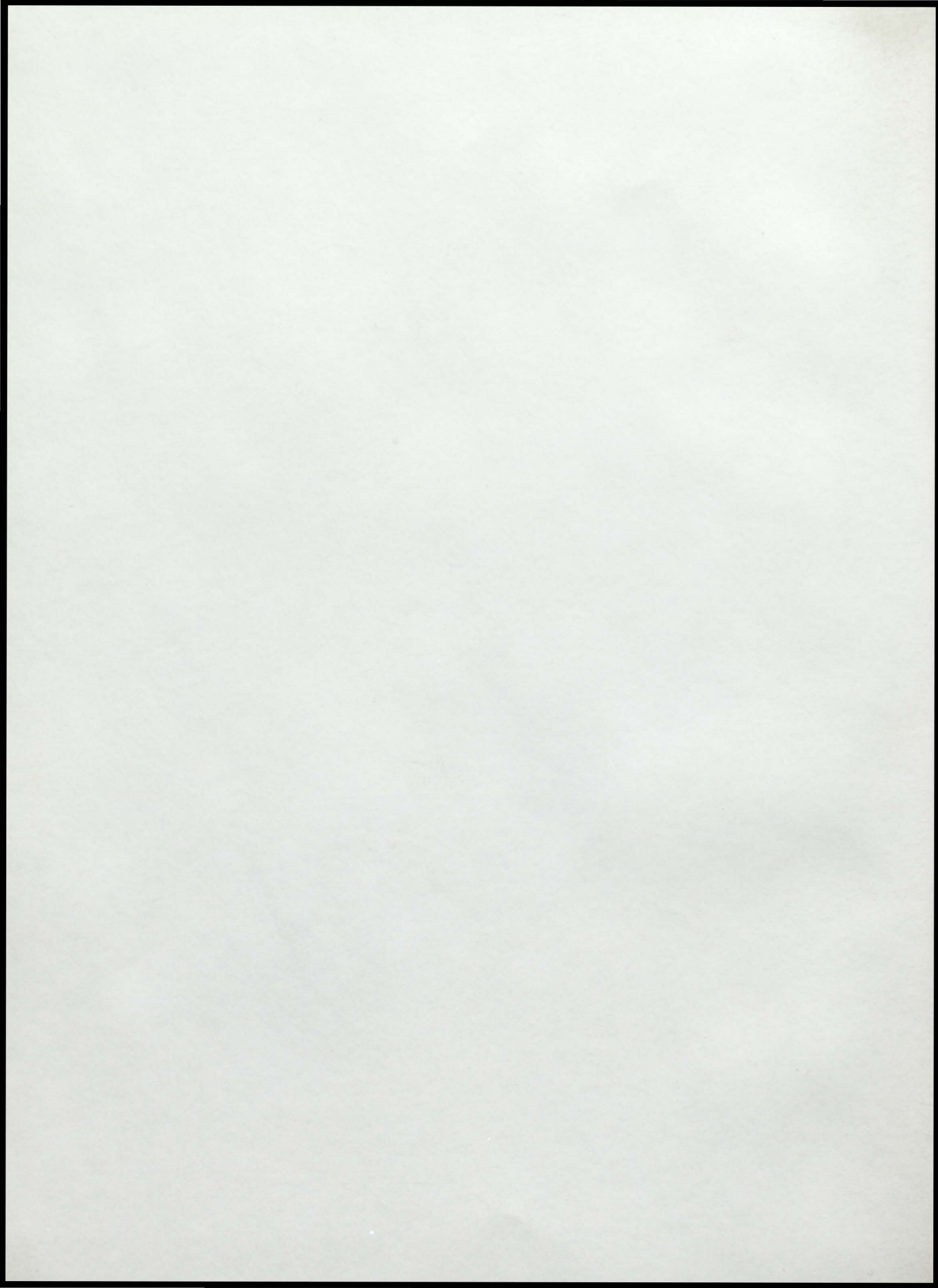


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Weequahic High School
279 Chancellor Avenue
Newark, NJ, 07112
Ronald G. Stone, Principal
Volume 73



Hats Off...

The class of 2007, dedicates this yearbook to our wonderful parents and guardians who have been by our sides throughout this journey. It has been tough and challenging, and you have supported and encouraged us the whole time. We just want you to know that we acknowledge and appreciate your efforts and love. We urge you to continue striving with us in the journey that comes ahead, because we can not succeed without you on our sides. We love you very much. THANK YOU!

...To Our Parents



Weequahic is.....

...one big family. To the students, who go here and to the staff and administrators that work here, Weequahic is like a second home. It is a place where we laugh and cry together, it is a place where we work together to ensure the success of its members. It is a place where any Indian can find comfort.

...Spirited! We have brown veins that pump orange blood. The Weequahic spirit is instilled in any and everyone who has any affiliation with our school. We were all Indians at birth and will continue to be until the day we die.

...full of Pride! We cheer at the football games, and wear our orange and brown faithfully every Friday. Our pride is Indian Pride. We have strength and courage simply because we know this is the place where we belong. We are all united as one, as a family, as a Weequahic family.

2007 Homecoming Court



...PRIDE

Homecoming Kicks Off The Year!



2006 ~ 2007
Homecoming
Celebration



Homecoming Parade



CHEERLEADERS

The cheerleaders prepare to cheer for our football team at the homecoming game.

DANCELINE

Although it is cold, the dancers still march on.

Fatia Watson
(Drum Majorette),
and Khairi Warren,
(Drum Major), lead
the band during
the homecoming
parade.





Indian Pride

Gabriel Jackson dressed as an Indian from head to toe.



READ ALL ABOUT IT

1. The band spreads I.P. all through Newark.
2. Spectators wave as the band passes by.
3. Ms. Culp and a few students work the concession stand.
4. Ieisha Bell and Jasmine Banks carry the banner for the Orange and Brown Association.





Ms. Capricorn
Today is your day! Take the initiative to try something new. You may be surprised by the outcome.

Dennisha Solomon



Ms. Aquarius
Change can be discombobulating but its beneficial in the end. Nobody wants a stale relationship.

Tashanna Pickens

ZODIAC



Ms. Aries
Usually you have to crawl before you walk, but today you are ready to move to advanced levels.

Jasmine Field



Ms. Pisces
Its important to build a capacity to relate to people on a deep level. Be honest and ask questions.

Shahidah Shabazz

SIGNS



Mr. Pisces
Take a passive role in any dealings you have - let someone else call the shots.

Jahad Hampton



Cancer
The social whirl goes on and your firmly in the center. You exert a magnetic pool without effort.

Jacqueline Arnold



Claurence Scott

Ms. Gemini

A set of crossed wires actually provides a pathway for a new connection. You'll bond in a fresha way.

Ms. Taurus

Look at the relationships around you today. Waht do you want yours to be like. Emulate their dynamic.



Shante Gifford

ZODIAC

Ms. Leo

Shonella Cameron



You are ready to make changes in your life. It may not be easy, but the results will be dramatic.

SIGNS

Ms. Virgo

Keep raising the stakes in your personal and work life. Success is sweet but triumph is sweeter.

Ms. Scorpio

Camaraderie and light-hearted, enjoyable interactions await you today- both at work and at play.



Tiffany Garris



Patrice Richardson

Months of



Miss January
Angel Charles



Miss February
Jessica Gilmore



Miss March
Safeequah Todd



Miss May
Nikita Duncan



Miss June
Charmayne Fontaine

"07"

the Year!



Miss July
Taliah Williams



Miss October
Mikaelia Cook



Miss December
Jasmine Polhill

Seasons



Ms. Autumn
Rhodaine Wright

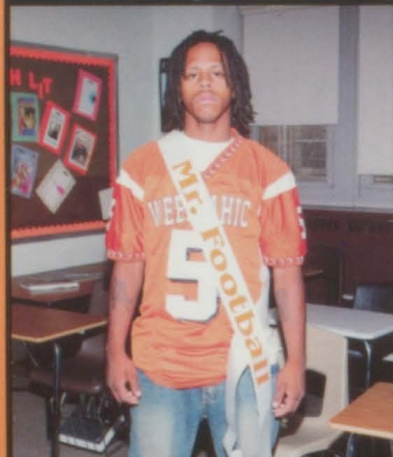


Congratulations!!!

HOMECOMING



Naomi Adjei/ Ms. I.P.



Jamaal Perry/ Mr. Football



Aliya Wood and Shawn Williams/ Homecoming Queen and King



Breuana Pickney/ Homecoming Princess



Chaleace Hendricks/ Ms. Weequahic



Jennifer Gunn/ Ms.
Orange and Brown

Class of 2007

WINNERS



Mysia Patterson/ Ms. Senior



Kevin Washington/ Mr. Senior



Ieisha Simmons/ Ms. '09



Kumeshia Ried/ Ms. Sophomore



Keanu Johnson/ Ms. Freshman



Danae Pittman / Ms. '07



Khamar Abnathya/ Mr. '07

Homecoming

Winners

2007

Congratulations!!!!

BAND

WINNING

AWARD

WEEQUAHIC'S

W

Band members speak out on their triumphs and experiences!



- Lamar Lee, Drumline (Senior)

"It's fun. It keeps kids off of the streets and gives us something to do after school. Being in the band has given me more friends, it shows my talent, and it's a step towards going to college. I do it because I like music and dancing and I love being around my friends."

- 2006 Drum Major, Khairi Warren (Junior)

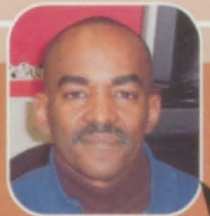


"It's a thrill. It changed me and helped me realize my true talent. Before I was a Drum Majorette (06-07), I was the captain of the danceline (05-06). The band has motivated me to pursue different positions in college bands."

- 2006 Drum Majorette, Fatia Watson (Senior)

"I am very proud of this band. It is the best band I've seen since I've been here. They have accomplished so much. Performance wise, there are very few bands that can march like we do or that have our style. There is no other band that can match us."

-Mr. Michael Page, Head Band Director



2007 Marching Band



Drumline



Danceline



Flag Twirlers



Hornline

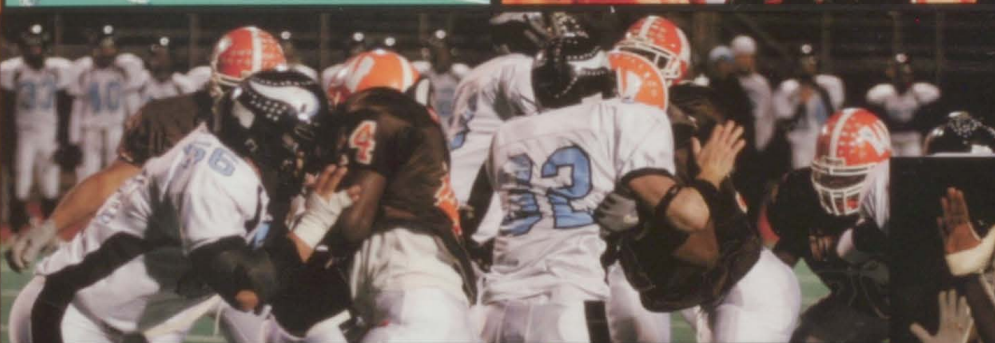
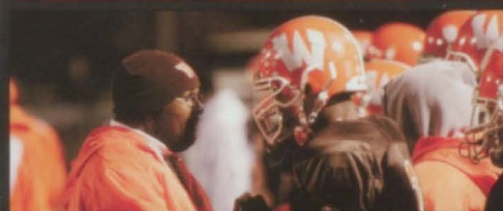
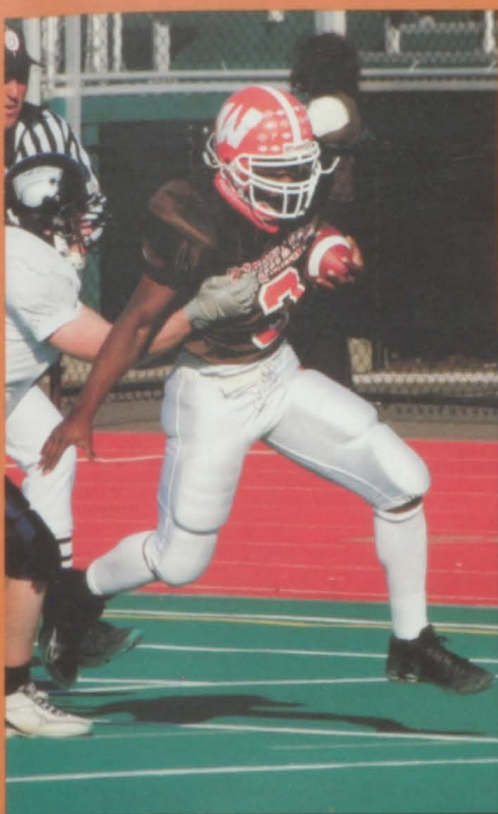
More Than Champions!!!



For the first time in 31 years, the Weequahic High School Football Team redeems the image of the great city of Newark, N.J. On December 3, 2006 we all gathered at the Rutgers University Stadium Piscataway, NJ to support our young men in claiming the CHAMPIONSHIP title from the Raritan Rockets. They did not let us down. All our cheers were not in vain. We lost our voices for the right purpose. When we could cheer no longer, the heavens took over and so did the city.

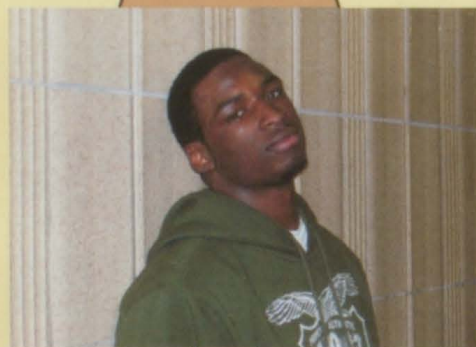
Its indeed, SO HARD TO BEAT AN INDIAN!!!!

Season Highlights!!



Jamal Perry
Quarter back
#5

"We shocked a lot of people. To my coaches: Thank You. To my team mates: We had a great season. To my fans: I love ya'll."

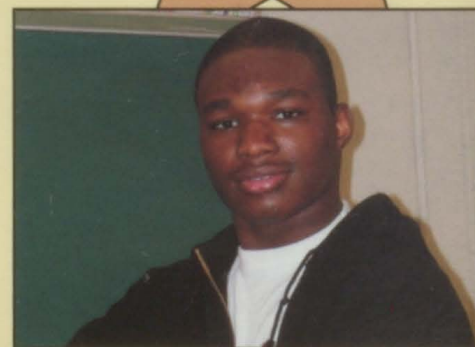


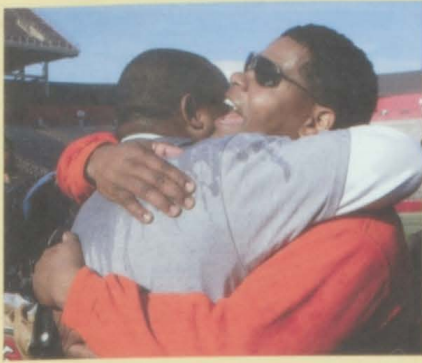
Trevor Bell
Full Back\ Outside Linebacker
#44

"I would describe our season as very successful and I'm proud of it. I want to thank Coach Mo for pushing me and all my coaches for supporting me, especially Coach Wallace."

Al-Tariq Harris
Defensive End/Tackle
#51

"This season was phenominal. I led the team in sacks(17). Thank you to my coaches for keeping me in check."





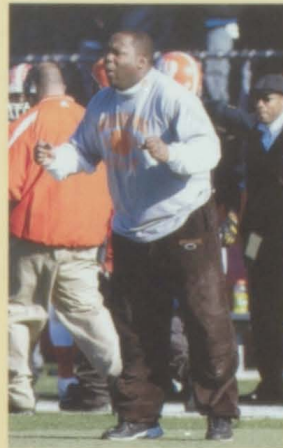
To
Beat



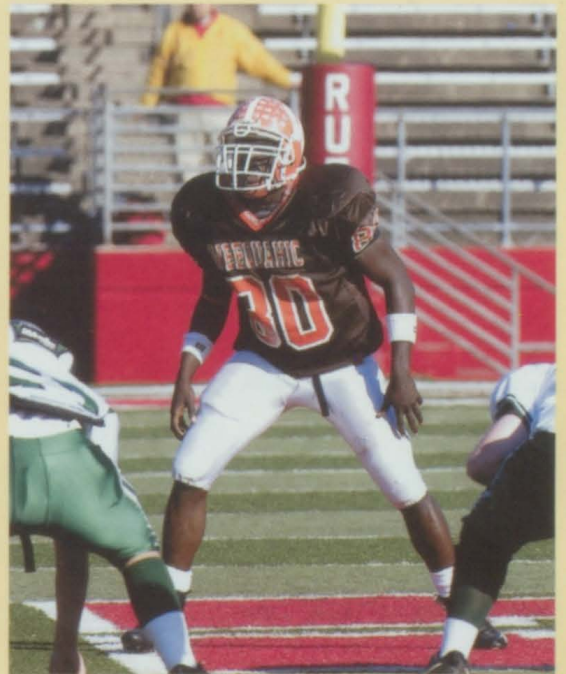
Indian!



So Hard



An



GAME
HIGHLIGHTS



Dominick Brown
Nose Guard/ Right Guard
#55

"The season was good. We were 11-1 even though we should have been 12-0, but we made a couple of mistakes. Thank you to all my coaches and team mates."

Andre Dozier
Wide Receiver\ Defensive Back
#22

"I would describe this season as a dream season. I say a dream season because we started out going through a lot of ups and downs and the outcome was the Championship. I want to thank all my coaches for believing in me."



Amara Kamara
Line backer/Full back
#80

"The season was great. To my coaches and team mates. We won the Championship."



We Played Hard!

Victory!

To Achieve





The championship was a dream come true for us. It marked the beginning of a successful athletic life for the Weequahic Indians. We urge next year's team to make 2007/2008 a remarkable one. Exceed our accomplishments by excelling in athletics, as well as academics. This goes out to all the teams in our Weequahic home.

HIP! HIP!

H~U~R~R~A~Y!!!

Soccer

Coach Alvarez worked hard to make this team one of the best teams. He gave us some skills we could use during the game. Coach Kopec was good with working with the goalie to make sure he didn't give up any goals. (LOL) When it comes to defense, the Indians have some of the best soccer players in New Jersey. To the players who will represent Weequahic High School next year on the boys soccer team, I wish you all the best. You all keep doing your thing and make "The Home of the Indians" proud.

- Uyi Lebarty



Go! Team Go!



"Our season had it's ups and downs with a losing season, but it was fun. We played hard every game."

- Ahmed Evans

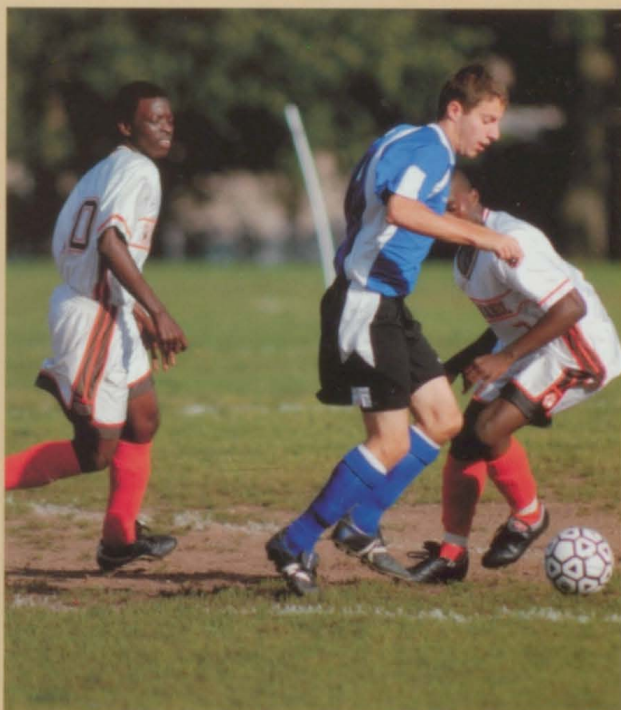


Go!

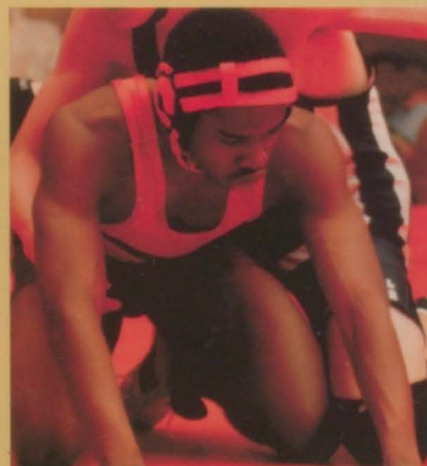
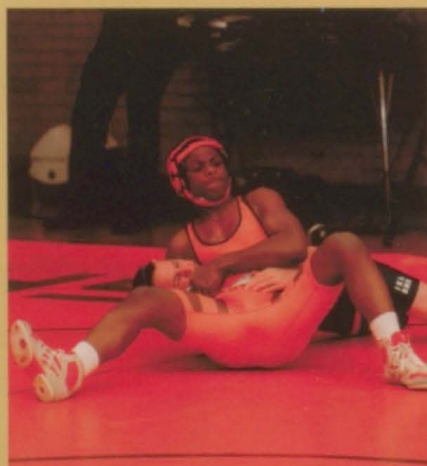
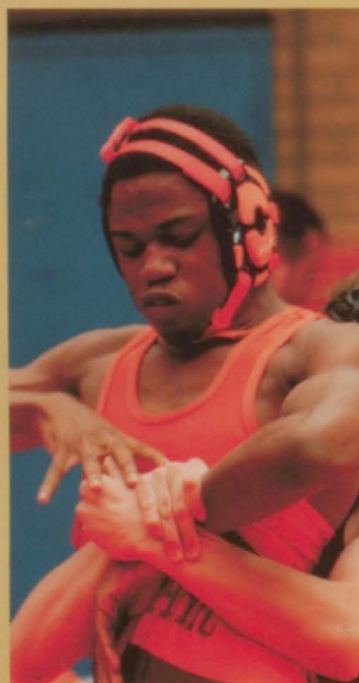
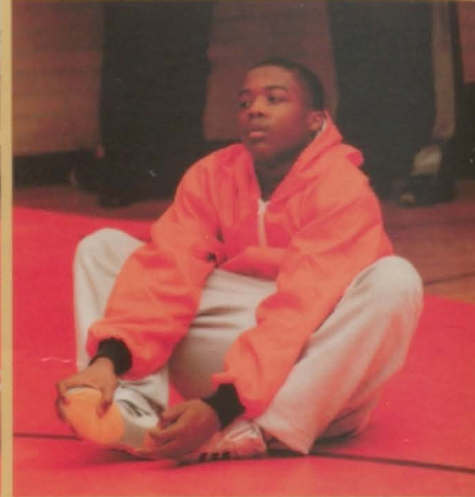
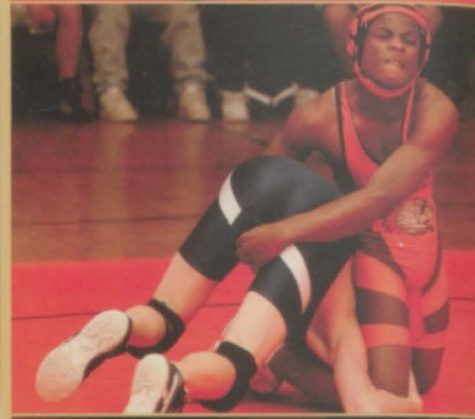
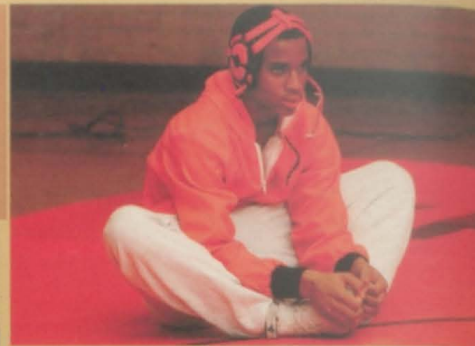
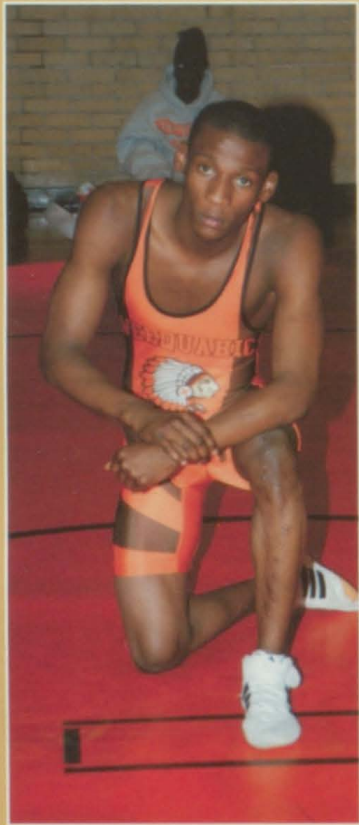
Team

Go

Steevel Corielan,
(Captain), #4
Alain Breton, #2
Anillio Dawson,
#11
Uyighosa Lebarty,
#12
Malcolm Ellison,
#9
Carlos Lacombe
#3
Ibrahima Khalil
Bayo, # 7
Cornelius
Awosola
Ahmed Evans,
#20
Basquan Mann,
#1
Sledge Cooke #6

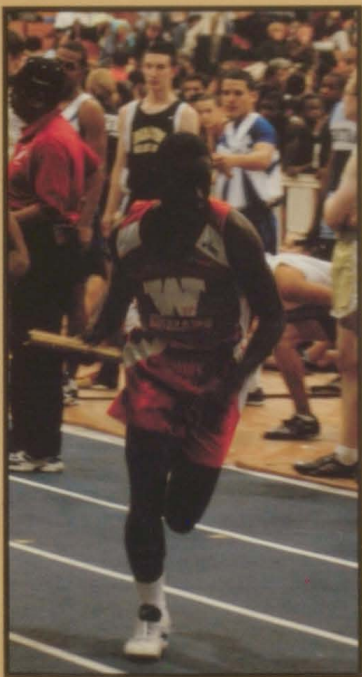
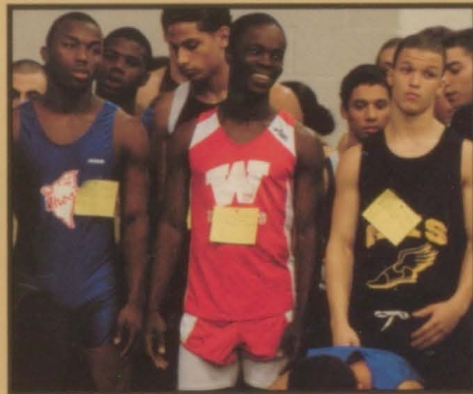
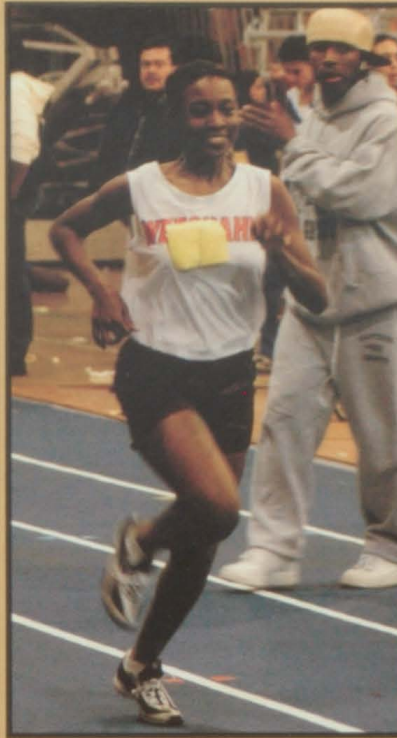
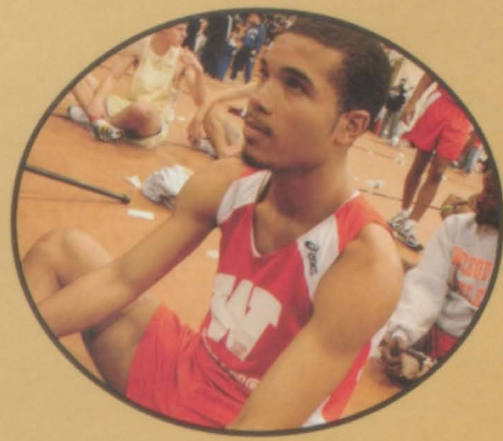


Wrestling



W H S

...Spirit



Track

Coach Bararka

I ride

inspiration



Girls
Basketball



*Brittany James
taking it to the hoop!*

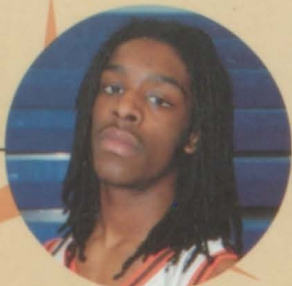


Senior,
Adrienne
Smith,
24

Senior,
Brittany
James,
21



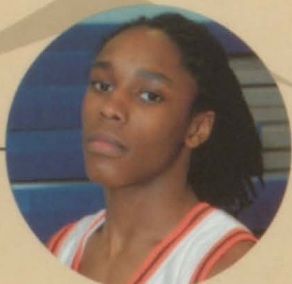
...Spirit



Thomas Waller



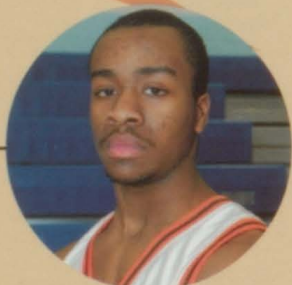
Dajuan Jenkins



Shawn Williams



Elijah Adams



Kevin Washington



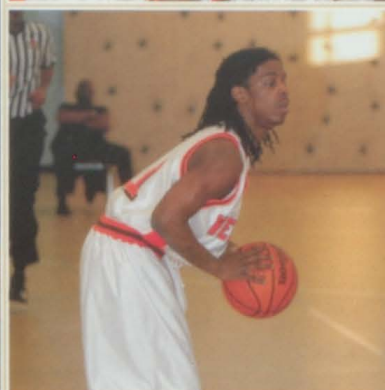
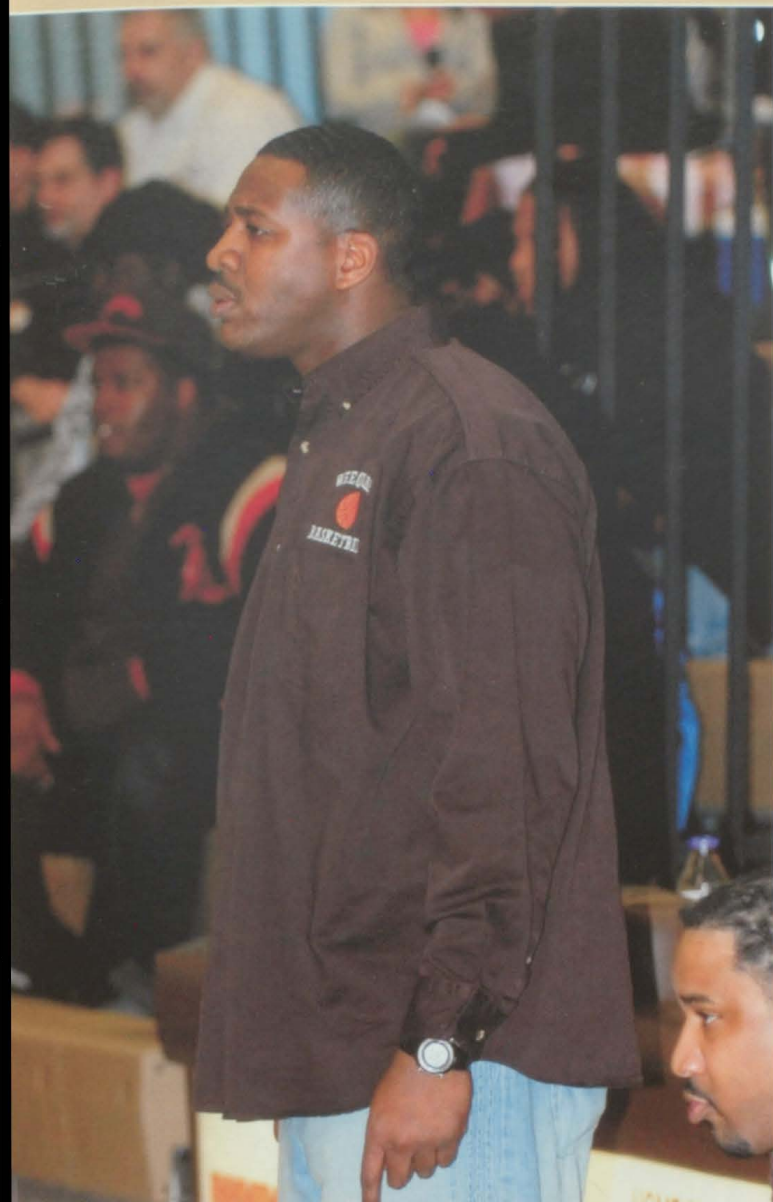
Exceeding Everyones Expectations

"This season was a learning experience. We made it further than people expected with our record of 18-6. I'm proud of our team."

Martin Smith



Boys Basketball



I'm proud of my team even though we didn't win. It was fun. I wouldn't trade it for the world."

-Thomas Waller



**"I am very
proud of
them."**

**"We worked
hard."**

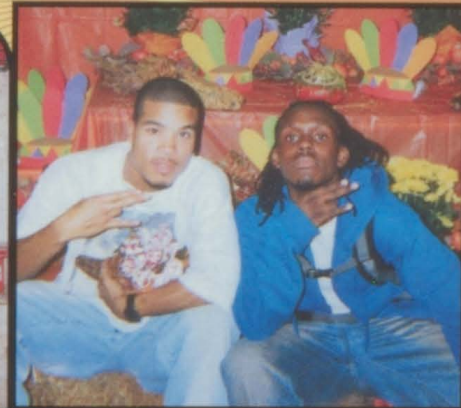


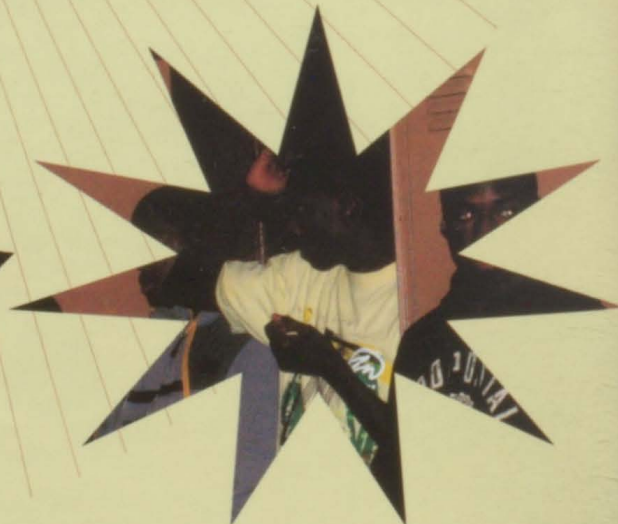
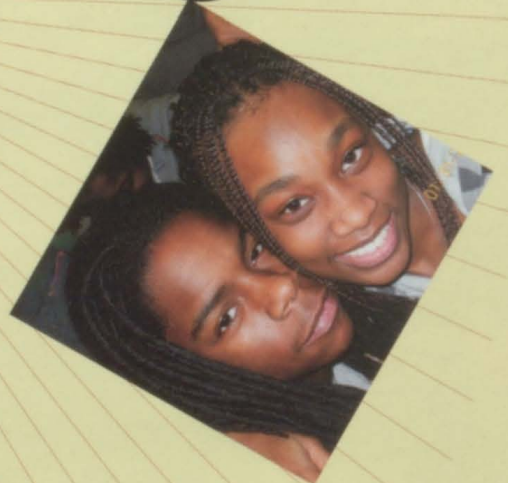
Cheerleaders

"It was fun."

**"We cheered our
hearts out."**

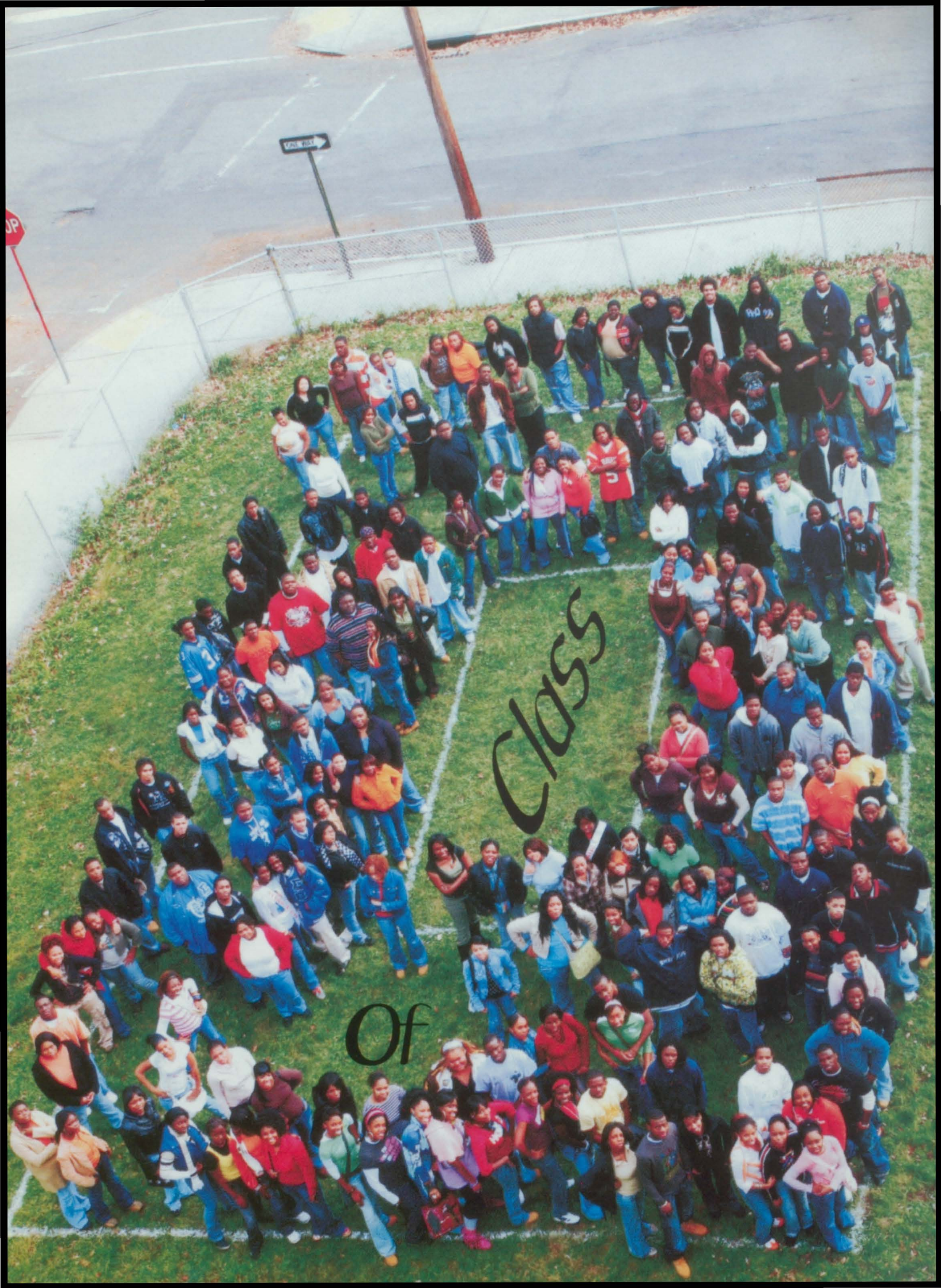








Senior Section



Class

Of



Class of 2007

Get to know us better!!!

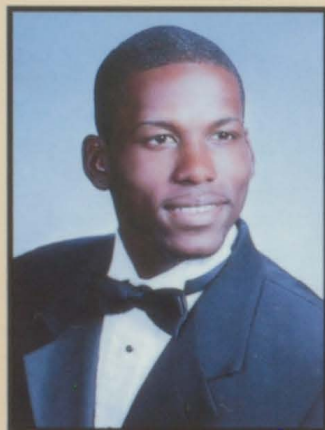
The class of '07 thought you might want to know this about them:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Role Model</i>
<i>Nickname</i>	<i>Favorite Artist</i>
<i>Birthday</i>	<i>Hobbies</i>
<i>Favorite Teacher</i>	<i>Last words</i>
<i>Ambition</i>	

Khamar Abnathya

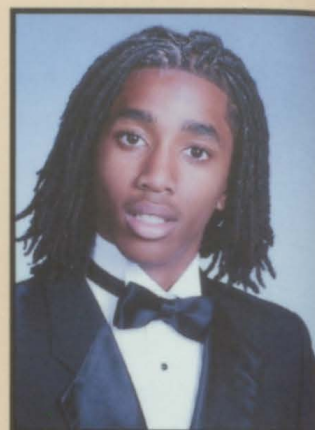
Baldy
March 30, 1989
Ms. Sanders
To own my own hotel
My big brother

Dancing/singing
"You must don't know my name."



Elijah M. Adams

E. Fly
October 12, 1989
Mrs. Cordasco
To be somebody and work hard at anything I do
My brother
Juelz Santana
Basketball
"You know whats good about a "come up"? You come up. Lol!"



Naomi Adjei

Nay
April 21, 1991
All my teachers
To be a Surgeon
My Parents
Kirk Franklin/Westlife
Reading/beadwork/cooking
"The future looks bright because we made it so. Our graduation is just the beginning to a sucessful future."



Leland Alexander

Boog B

Ms. Howard

Portia Brown(mother)
Max B/ Jim Jones
Football/ having fun with friends
"Winners never quit, quitters never win. Love always '07'. Big ups to G. M."



Devielle Allen

Lil' Momma
October 24, 1989
Mrs. Springer
To become a Lawyer
Bertha Allen(Mom)
Lil' Wayne/ Tevin Campbell
Jumprope/basketball/clubs
"Until we meet again, love is love."



Shakirah Amos

Kirah
July 8, 1989
Mr. Healy/Ms. Sanders
To become a radio or T.V. Talkshow Host
My mother
Mary J. Blige/Beyonce
Modeling/chillin' with my homies
"Keep it real and enjoy life."



Class of 2007

Ayana Anderson

Yana
June 25, 1989
Mr. Zahir
To become a Doctor
Oprah Winfrey
Lyfe Jennings
Shopping/modeling
"Good luck! I wish everybody the best."



Jacqueline Arnold

Jacki-O/Sunshine
July 13, 1989
To become a Social Worker
Myself
Monica
Talking/reading
"Jackie, Jackie, Jackie, Jacki-O."



Marquis Arrington

Big Quis
September 10, 1989
Mrs. Springer
To become a Pediatrician
Myself
Jay-Z
The band/playing trumpet
"Thank God, I'm leaving."



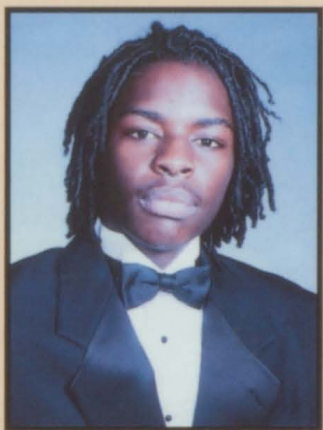
Tiearra Badger

Tee-Tee
September 10, 1989
Coach White
To be all I can be.
My father
Beyonce
Talking on the phone/computers
"Don't fall into the crowd, do something."



Abdul Baldwin

Ab/Majid
November 27, 1989
Mr. Healy
To finish high school and make it in life
Myself
Jay-Z
Listening to music/rapping
"We did it! That's why you should of been an Indian."

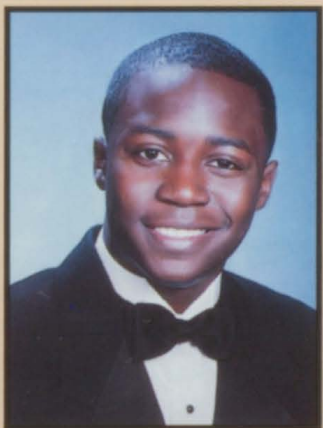


Jasmine Banks

Jazzy
February 12, 1989
Ms. Covington/Ms. Pancarician
To become a Broadcast Journalist
Alnisa (My sister)
Aaliyah
Church/movies/hanging out
"Believe half of what you see and none of what you hear."



Terrance Baxter



Ieisha Bell

Esh
February 2, 1989
Ms. Covington
To become an Advertiser
Luther Vandross
Dance
"The best way is to succeed."



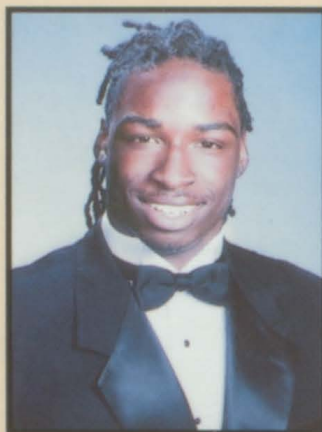
Class of 2007

Trevor Bell

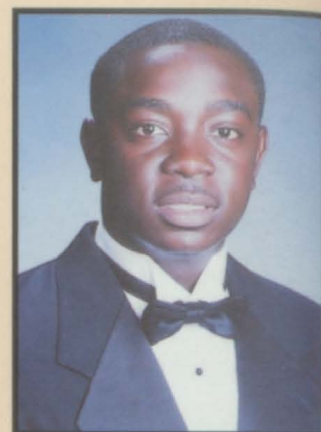
September 16, 1988

To get into the NFL
My mom

"Congratulations"



Kaiyri Bennet



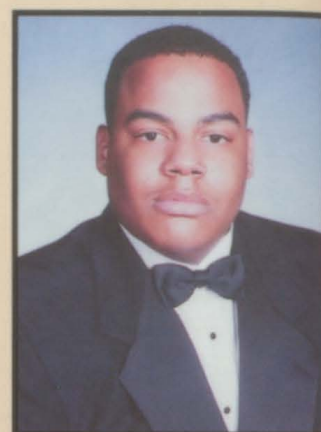
Shamar Billups

Scooter
December 23, 1988
All of my teachers
To become a Business Man
The Game
Sports
"It's all hood pimpin' I'll see you
when I'm rich."



Juvaughn Bonney

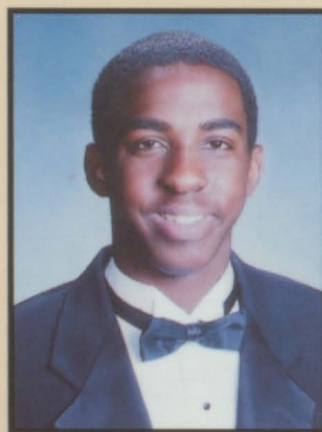
Jay- Jay/Meatloaf
November 12, 1988
Mr. Kallas
To become a F.B.I. Agent
My grandmother
Jay-Z
Bowling/ Ballin'
"If you can't fly high, don't fly at all."



Christian Bridges

Chris
September 18, 1989
Ms. Covington
To become a Business Owner

Just Chillin'
"Make that money, be successful, and
get yours."



Keisha Bridges

Applehead
September 4, 1989
Mr. Healy
To be an Emergency Medical
Physician
Celestia Bridges(My mother)
Keyshia Cole
Shopping/ singing/ cooking/ listen-
ing to music
"Even if no one else does, believe in
yourself."



Royshonda Brinson

Roy Jones Jr.
June 14, 1989
Mr. Hylton
To become a teacher
Tracey Hairston(My mother)
Brandy Norwood
Shopping
"Make money, don't let it make
you. You never know who you really
are until your an Indian. Squad Up!"



Taji Brookins

Bo
October 9
Ms. Covington/ Mrs. Springer
To become an Engineer
My mother
Lil' Wayne
Chillin' with the homies



Class of 2007

Mekka Brooks

Mek
March 22, 1989
Ms. Bracok
To be happy and successful
My sister
Jay Z/ Beyonce
Cheerleading
"Congrats and see you in ten years."



Dominick Brown

Colorado
October 25, 1989
Mrs. Springer
To become an Electrical Engineer
My mother
Talib Kwele
Football/poetry
"Live life to the fullest."



Khadijah Brown

Dee Dee/Tink
October 2
The ones that were cool
To be successful, no matter what
All positive people
Mary J. Blige
Dancing/band/golf/acting a fool
"We are just young so, we do our own thing. Don't hate! Just do you. Ya digg!"



Kijafa Brown

King Ja Fee Joe
July 30, 1989
Mr. Young
To become a Registered Nurse
Deborah Brown(my mother)
Ne-Yo
Talking on the phone
"I hope that the class of 07' is successful in whatever they want to do."



Jonnie Bullard

Jay/ Kidd
February 26, 1988
Mr. Hylton
To succeed in life

Basketball /rapping



Jonnielle Bullard

Nelly
March 14
Mr. Watkins
To become a R.N.
My mother
R. Kelly
Going out/having fun
"To the class of 2007, this is our year. I wish the best for every one."



Brielle Callahan

Bree-Bree
July 8, 1989
Ms. Sanders
To graduate from high school, college and become a Nurse
Ms. Pittman
Lil' Wayne
Shopping/movies
"Keep a smile on your face little clowns."



Shonella Cameron

Nella
August 11, 1989
To complete college
Tupac
Running/reading/listening to music
"Good luck. I wish all of ya'll the best of luck."



Class of 2007

Harold Cartwright

Harry
July 26, 1988
Mrs. Springer
To become an Entrepreneur
Michael Strahan/Kobe Bryant
Tupac
Football/basketball/art/chillin'
"I hope you make it because I will."



Angel Charles

Cuzzin
January 16, 1989
Mr. Young

Niesha(my mother)
Slim Thug
Cheerleading/skating
"My time with ya'll was fun and I will miss you guys."



Destiny Clark

D-Nice
August 25
Ms. Saunders

Gabrielle Union
Beyonce
Parties/Skating
"I hope you all live good and successful lives."



Kariym Conover

Shaq/Grandpa
May 20, 1989
Mr. Healy
To succeed

AZ/ Nas/ Method Man
Basketball/producing music/ mixing music
"Do your best."



Mikaelia Cook

Mickey
October 24, 1989
Mr. Cherian
To become a Malpractice Lawyer
My mom and my Godmommy
SWV
Spending time with my Klown homies
"Laugh now, cry later. Klownz up."



Daejah Cooper

Dae-Dae
January 2, 1989
Mr. Boyah
To do hair
Deelishis(From Flavor of Love)
Beyonce/Khadijah
Making money/going out
"Do what you do, make it work for you."



Cory Crawford



Dominique Crosby

Doms
April 19, 1989

To reach my goals in life
Tyra Banks

Dancing/modeling/acting/singing
"Never let any one put you down and keep your head up high. Ya digg."



Class of 2007

James Cunningham

February 5
Mr. Zahir, Ms.P
To be an Artist

My Chemical Romance
Art
"Didn't meet most of you but the ones I did were cool. So ummm....yeah."



Janay Davis

Nay-Nay
May 14, 1989
Mr. Zahir/Ms. Findley
To become a Dentist
Mary McLeod Bethune/my family
Mary J.Blige
Band/listening to music/computers
"Strive for your best and never let anyone put you down."



Karessa Davis

July 2, 1989
Mrs. Perry
To go to college and become a Pediatrician
Oprah
Mya
Shopping/ dancing/ acting/ singing
"Keep your head up."



Sharee Davis

Ree-Ree
October 10, 1989
Mr. Healy/Ms. Rogers
To be successful and to make my mother proud
Beyonce Knowles
I like just about everybody.
Music/ solving writing problems/ being creative, eating/traveling.
"Life is short, cherish it, surpass its capacity and keep God first."



Whitney Dennison

Ney
November 9, 1989
Mr. Watkins
To become a Doctor
Ms. Rashid
Beyonce
Singing/dancing
"The best is yet to come."



Quamar Dortch

Nique Boogie
November 15, 1988
Mrs. Springer
To become a Top Fashion Designer
Tyra Banks/Beyonce
Chris Brown/ Beyonce /Keyshia Cole
Jump rope/ designing clothes/ chillin' with friends
"You control your future, make it worth it."



Andre Dozier

Dre
June 21, 1989
Ms. Hitching/ Mrs. Cordasco/Ms. Lucas
To make more than \$100,000 a year
My grandmother and nephew
Usher/ Lil' Wayne
Basketball/ football/ chillin'



Andrew Drayton

Teddy
May 15, 1989
To become a Chef
My brother
Usher
Basketball/ playing with friends/ joking



Class of 2007

Nikita Duncan

Niki
May 15, 1989
Mrs. Springer
To become an Artist
Myself
Frankie J.
Drawing/reading/ playing games
"Take care of yourselves."



Raymond Edmonds

September 20, 1988
Ms. Pancarician
To be an Entrepreneur

The Creater of Garfield

"Just remember 'Everybody Loves Raymond'."



Dianne Ereyi

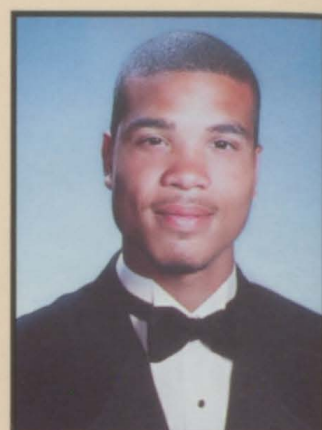
Diana
October 27, 1988
Mr. Zahir
To become a Nurse
Tracey
Usher
Talking with friends
"Thank you for being a good class."



Jhamil Ervin

Casper
September 30, 1989
Mr. Healy
To succeed at whatever I do

Tupac Shakur
Track & Field/ Music
"Our deepest fear is not that we are inadequate but that we are powerful beyond measure."



Jasmine Field

Jazz
March 26, 1989
Ms. Rashid

My mother and father

Playing basketball/having fun
"I will miss all of you."



Ramona Frazier

Mona
December 7
Mr. Zahir/Mrs. Springer
To become a successful person in the near future

Aaliyah/Beyonce/ Boyz II Men
Singing/ dancing/ writing/ acting/ making people laugh.
"For those who know me and those who don't, I wish you well in the future."



Jennifer Fuller

Jenny
June 21, 1988
Mr. Hylton/ Mrs. Springer
To become a Model, Designer & Entertainer
Aaliyah/David (My cousin)
Omarion
Dancing all the time/ talking on the phone/singing
"Everybody stay cool and keep your head to the sky, not the ground."



Shante Gifford

Tay
April 26, 1989
Ms. Covington
To become a Business Manager
Yolanda Gifford (My mother)

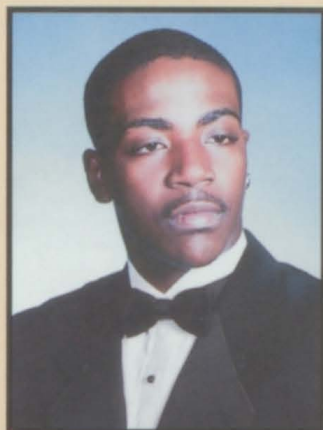
Eating all I can
"Live a good life."



Class of 2007

Michael Gordon

December 6, 1988
Mr. Jacob
To be a fire fighter
Mr. Carlo, my elementary school principal
Jadakiss
Chillin' / Having fun
"Squad up to all the homies. Get at me."



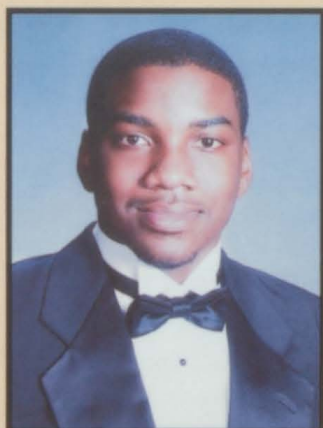
Amber Graves

May 1, 1989
Ms. Stackhouse
To be a good mother and become a Defence Attorney
My sister/grandmother
Keyshia Cole
Reading/talking on the phone
"Your mind is your most powerful resource."



Moses Griffin

Mo/Mo-Mo
June 3, 1989
Mr. Healy
To live my life, my way
My mother
Jay-Z / Eminem
Sports/chillin' with friends
"Keep your head up and let nothing hold you down."



Jennifer Gunn

Jenny from the Block
December 5, 1988
Ms. Howard/Ms. Hester
To become an Artist
Jessica(my sister)
Eminem
Painting/singing/playing basketball/ shopping
"Love me or hate me."



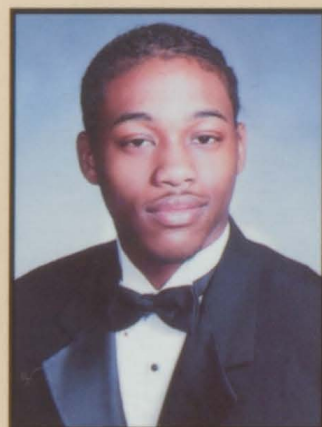
Shantel Hall

Shanney Blaque
October 31, 1989
Ms. Lucas
To become a Choreograher/
Police Officer
My mother
Dancing
"I hope you will make it in this life time and please keep your head up."



Jahad Hampton

Young Jay
February 26, 1989
Ms. Pancarician
To become aPsychologist
Batman
Jay-Z
Basketball/hanging out/ movies
"Live for today but keep in mind that there is a tomorrow."



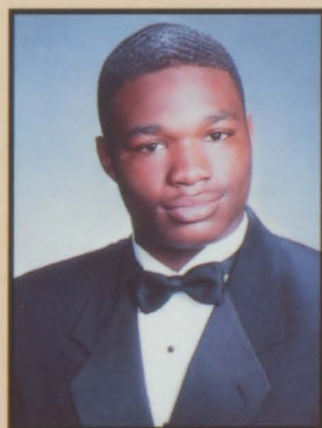
Tiffany Hannah

Tiff/Lucy
September 2, 1989
All of them
To graduate from high school and go to college
My grandmother
Jim Jones/Beyonce
Hanging out with friends & family/playing music
"Its so hard to be a Weequahic Indian. I.P."



Al-Tariq Harris

Al
September 17, 1988
Mr. J. Kaufman
To be a Teacher or a Business Owner
Coach White
The Game
Football/basketball/playing madden



Class of 2007

Alicia Harrison

Tricey
November 14
Mrs. Springer
To become a Neonatal Nurse
Eve
Ludacris
Talking on the phone
"Try your best to succeed at what you do, dont give up."



Melinda Hawkins



Clarissa Hayer

Crissy
July 22, 1989
Ms. Daley
To become a R.N.
Sherrel Anderson(My mother)
Ciara/Beyonce/ Chris Brown
Listening to music
"Congrataulations on making it this far and good luck in the future."



Chaleace Hendricks

Lee-Lee
October 11, 1989
Mr. Zahir
To strive for my goals
Devonish Murphy
Chris Brown
Track and Field/ dancing
"We did it! Wishing all of you the best of good luck."



Rawle Henry

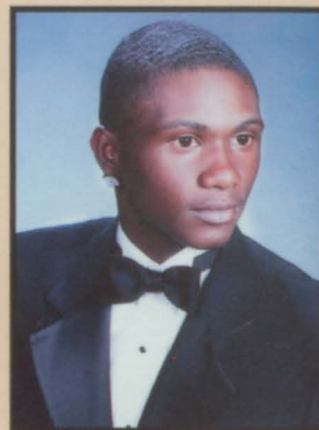
Boogymen
May 6, 1989
Mr. Zahir/ Mrs. Springer
To become an Engineer

50 Cent, Tupac
Soccer/ playing video games
"Good luck and stay focused."



Dawan Hill

Kobe
September 16, 1989
Mr. Southerland
To succeed in life as a black man
Mr. Zahir
Cam'ron
Basketball/track/music
"Future seniors stay focused you've gotten too far."



Nykya Hill

Kyah
September 5, 1988
Mrs. Perry
To become a Photographer
My mother
Bobby Valentino
Taking pictures
"Have a nice life, always have fun and take care of yourself."



Caavon Hinson

Kay
July 16, 1989
Mr. Hylton/Ms. Hester
To do something with my life.
Snoop Dogg
Lil' Wayne/Cassidy
Sports/playing
"Class of '07' up."



Class of 2007

Shaquita Hinton

Quita
January 30, 1989
Mr. Zahir
To become a successful Pediatrician
My mother

Talking on the phone/ sleeping/ shopping
"Follow your dreams, I wish you all luck."



Justin Humphrey

Pretty Boy Floyd
December 26, 1989

Malcolm X
Reed Dollaz



Cheron Jackson

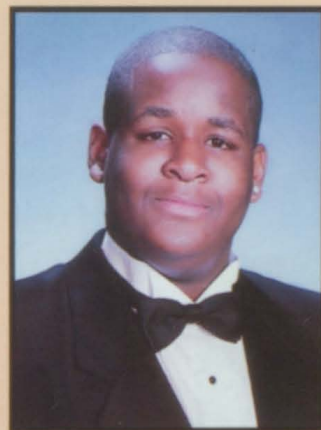
Killa
February 15, 1989
Mr. Healy
To succeed
Tara (My cousin)
Whitney Houston
Sewing/ doing hair/ dancing
"Don't let money make you, make the money."



Gabriel Jackson

Little Beef
December 7, 1988
Ms. Findley

Dr. West
Usher Raymond
Sigma Beta/ Golf
"Have fun ,live life to the fullest."



Jestina Jackson

JJ/Finda
June 21, 1988
Mr. Young
To become a Nurse
Jartu Jackson(my mother)
R. Kelly/Lionel Richie
Singing/playing volleyball
"Wishing the class of '07 all the best in life and in college."



Karzaer Jackson

Zae
April 3, 1989
Mrs. Springer
To become an Auto Mechanic
My mother
Young Jeezy
Putting things together
"Worst freshman class, best Senior class."



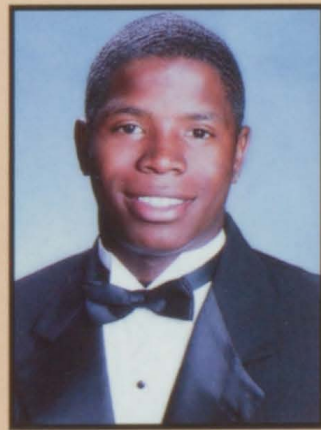
Brittany James

Jo-Jo/Big Britt
July 4, 1988
Ms. Covington/Ms. Landin
To go to college and become a Mathematics Professor
Amiri Baraka, Jr.(My coach)/
Geornaya and Adriane(my best friends)
Bow Wow/Ciara
Basketball
"Remember Weequahic Up! You should've been an Indian! Love Ya'll! Class of 07."



Michael Jefferies

Mikey/Mike-Mike-Lil Mike
May 15, 1988
Ms. Pancarician, Ms. B
To become a Cartoon Animator
My father
Amy Lee(Evanescence)/Koda Kumi/
Utada Hikaru
Art/video games/plotting on the neighbors cat/scaring the locals
"I really don't have anything to say. Come back to me later."

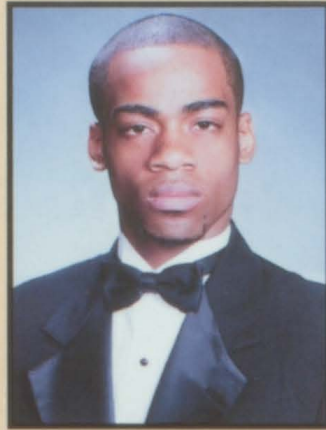


Class of 2007

Jyrelle Johnson

Relly
May 18, 1989

To become a Famous Actor
My family
Denzel Washington
Acting/ sports/ weight lifting/ drawing
"I am destined for the red carpet, (hopefully)."



Mica Johnson

Me-Me
October 30, 1988
Ms. Rashid

Working/ making money
"07" is out of here."



Nelson Johnson



Marcus Johnson McWhorter

Cali
November 30, 1988
Mr. Healy
To become a History Teacher

Lupe Fiasco
Skateboarding
"Our greatest fear is not that we are inadequate but that we are powerful beyond measure."
- Nelson Mandela



Marcia Jolo

MJ
December 13, 1990
Ms. Sanders
To become a Lawyer
Ms. Sanders
Usher/Mary J. Blige
Track & field/Singing/dancing
"Keep your head up and never give up in life."



Sabrina Jones

October 2, 1989
Mrs. Perry
To become a Singer

Jo-Jo
Singing/ watching WWE Monday Night Raw
"I hope you all grow up before it's too late."



Sharif Jones

Big Beef
April 29, 1989
Ms. Rashid
To work in constuction
Dr. Kevin West

Football video games



Takiyah Jones

Bubbles
October 11, 1988
Mrs. Springer
To become a Nurse
My mother
Myself
Softball/hanging out/ going to church
"Everybody is precious to us so make it worth while."



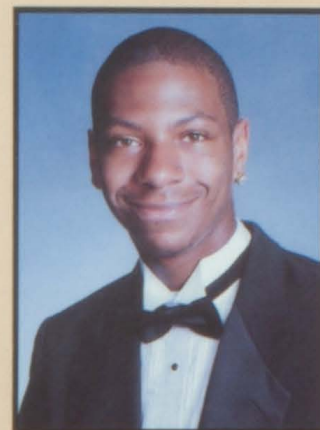
Class of 2007

Yakimah Jones

Ya-Ya/Yah
July 28, 1989
Mrs. Sanders/Mrs. Lorquet
To become a pediatrician
Mrs. Sanders
Beyonce
Cheerleading/Having fun
"I'm just so happy that we finally made it and I hope I will see you all in the future."



John Kears



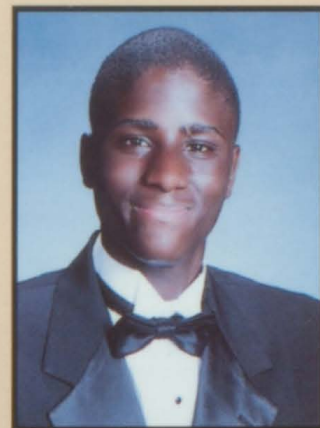
Melanie Lacewell

Big Melanie
August 27, 1989
Mr. Davis
To become a Singer and a Chef
Kelly Price
Singing/ Cooking/ Writing/
Shopping
"Love is what comes to my mind when I think about my class of '07, for you all will always have a big place in my heart."



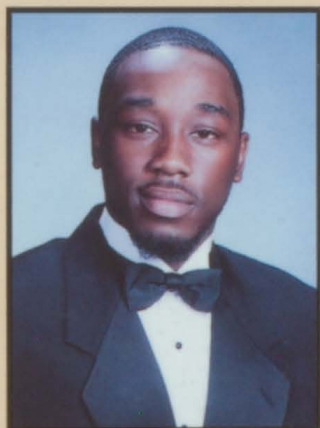
Brian Latham

Theodore
May 8, 1989
Mr. Moore
To become a Football Player
My grandmother
50 Cent
Playing video games
"Best wishes to all."



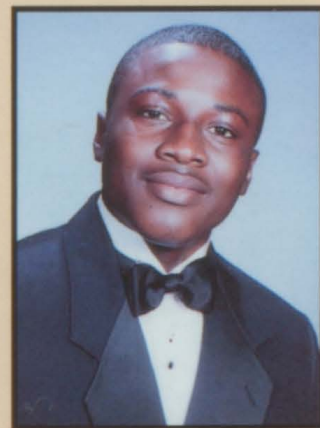
Oluseyi Lawal

Tuke Da God
September 6, 1989
Mr. Ogele
To complete college
My Mother
Max B/Dipset
Chillin' with the homies



Uyioghosa Lebarty

Uyi
May 7, 1989
Mr. Ramos
To become an Engineer
Usher
Nelly
Soccer/football/playing drums
"Good luck"



DaJuana Lee



Lamar Lee

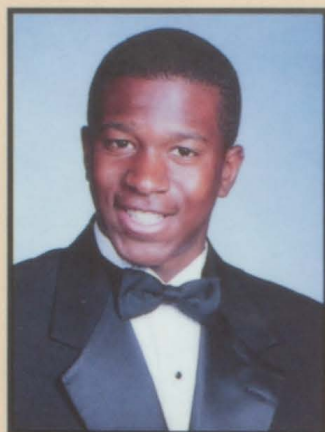
Ness
July 12, 1989
Mr. Page
To be successful
My Mother
R. Kelly
Playing the drums
"Good luck and I hope to see you in five years."



Class of 2007

Charles Lester

Mudd-Butt/Blank Man/Miami/
King C
December 1
Ms. Daley
To be the richest man in the universe
My father and older siblings
Soulja Slim
Sports/music/swimming/eating
"It was nice kicking it with ya'll, but
peace homies."



Catrice Lewis

Cece
December 14
Mr. Young
To be loved for who I am
My Mom
Chris Brown
Poetry/singing/designing
"Keep your head up! People will al-
ways be there trying to bring you
down, but trust in the Lord and he
will help you to keep going. I.P. for
life!"



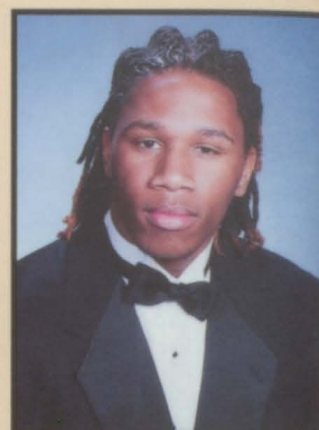
Charlston Manning

Slim
February 28, 1989
Mrs. Ingram
To become an Engineer
My mother
Davinci
Cars
"Life hits you fast so watch out."



Jeffrey Manning

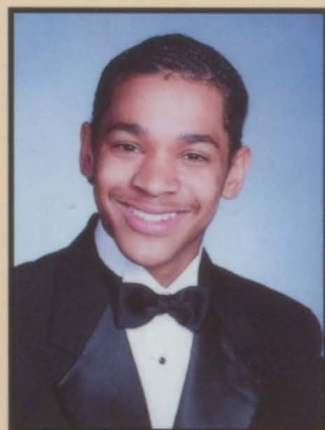
Moo-Moo
December 23
Mrs. Springer
Kobe Bryant
My mother
Jadakiss
Playing basketball
"Good luck for all of us in the future
and I hope everyone succeeds."



Matthew Marquez

Matt
May 24, 1989
Ms. Robinson/Mrs. Springer

Writing poems
"Congratulations, we did it."



Saleemah Martin

Muttas
January 23
Ms. Ingram
To become a Police Officer
My mother
Lil' Wayne
Shopping/working/browsing the
web
"Be safe and follow your dreams."



Bianca Martinez

BeBe/CJ
July 24, 1989
Mr. Ramos/Mrs. Springer
To fulfill all of my dreams
My big sister
Incubus
Bowling/designing clothes/singing
"When you have a dream, hold on to
it and don't let go. Don't ever give
up."



Jamillah McCollum



Class of 2007

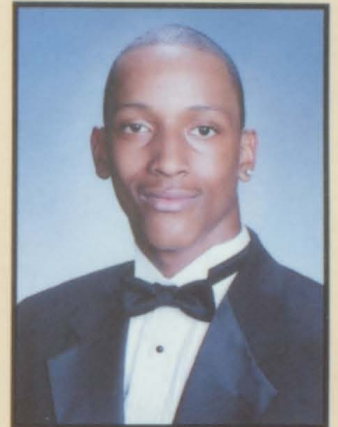
Iman McCoy



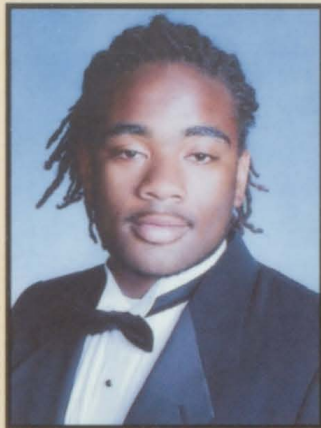
Jawwaad Mcghee

Jay
August 18

My big brother Sal
Tupac
Playing the drums
"Drum line up!"



DaQuan McKay



Jasminka Mckinney

Minka
November 26, 1989

To become a Model/Actor/
Children's Doctor.
Nia Long/Halle Berry

Doing hair/dancing/ designing



Eric McLemore

Sleep King/Shawn/Mr. Eric
December 10, 1989
Mr. Hylton
To make it in life
Nakiesha/Kerneel/ Ammerah/
Shonta(My peoples)
Cassidy
Getting money
"Where ever life takes you, be
proud to be an Indian."



Tiona McNair

Bubbles
August 22, 1989
Mrs. Springer
To become a Lawyer
Mrs. Springer

Basketball/poetry
"Get a life. Have fun, don't let any-
body tell you that you can't make it."



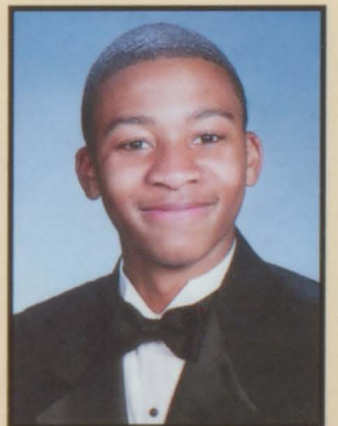
Jessica Meachem

Jesse
October 19, 1989
Mrs. Lucas
To become a Registered Nurse
My mommy and daddy
Lil' Wayne
Going out
"Bye bye ya'll."



Anthony Middleton

Tone/Tone Loc
February 15, 1989
Ms. Covington
To become an Entrepreneur/ Correc-
tion Officer/Business Owner
Ras Baraka/Family/trustworthy
friends
T.I./Lloyd Banks/Three 6 Mafia
Music/Basketball/Video games



Class of 2007

Regina Motley

Lil Mu
December 6
Ms. Saunders
To be in the Fashion Industry
My Father
Jim Jones
Jumping rope
"Until we meet again, love is love."



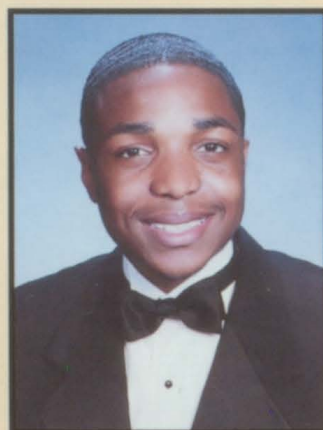
Asia Nelms

A
June 13, 1989
Mr. Healy
To go to college and study journalism
My mother & Tyra Banks
Beyonce Knowles
Going shopping/hanging with friends
"I had many great memories laughing and crying with my friends."



Eric Outler

E
September 5, 1989
Mr. Zahir
To play football and to race
Jerome Bettis
Jadakiss
Playing football/drag racing/getting money
"Live life, be safe."



Yasmirah Pamplin

Smiley
October 22, 1989
Ms. Ingram
To become a Pediatrician
Mrs. Ingram
Monica
Basketball/football
"Keep your head up! Good luck! We did it. I love ya'll"



Dashawn Parker

Big Baby
February 23, 1989
Mr. Zahir
To become an Architect
My uncle
Lil' Wayne
Playing video games
"Get that paper, money that is."



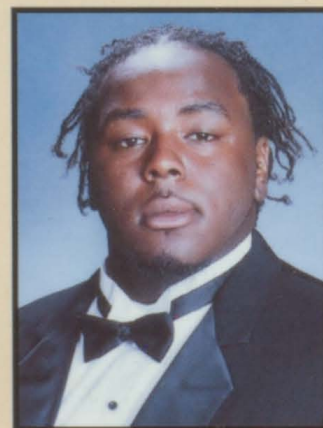
Mysia Patterson

Goofey
August 9, 1989
Ms. Covington
To become a Registered Nurse & Model
Marla Jones(Mother)/ Lil' Kim
Lil' Wayne
Reading/writing/klowin'
"Keep a smile on your face, Klownz"



Isaiah Peterson

Weezy
February 24, 1989
Ms. Rashid
To succeed in life and do as well as I can
Cassidy
Jay-Z
Making money
"Motivation is the key to life and success."



Tiye Pettaway

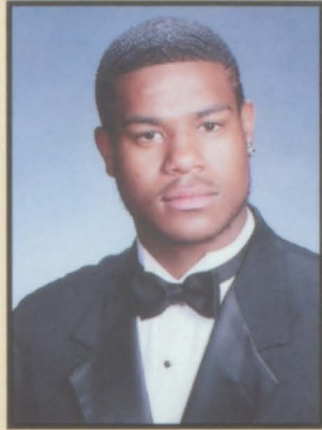
Ta-Ta
June 17, 1989
Mrs. Ingram
To go to college and become a Registered Nurse
My mother
Beyonce
Talking on the phone /going shopping
"Don't ever settle for less than the best."



Class of 2007

Kareem Phelps

Phelps/ Reem
October 26, 1988
Mr. Akinyele
To become a Music Producer and Professional Pianist
Jamie Foxx/ Stevie Wonder
Stevie Wonder/Jamie Foxx/
Aaron Hall
Playing the piano/singing/
sports
"Music is the key of life."



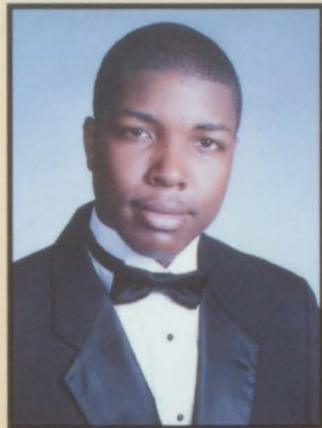
Tashanna Pickens

Shanna
January 21, 1989
Mrs. Springer
To graduate from Ramapo College
Twana Pickens
India Arie
Going out to eat/talking on the phone
"It's alright to laugh and play but know
when it's time to do both."



Derrick Pierce

Due
May 20, 1989
Ms. B
To play football
Malcolm X
Reed Dollaz
Football



Breuana Pinckney

Bree
November 17, 1989
Mrs. Springer/ Ms. Daley
To receive my masters in business
administration
Stephanie Cherry-Dupree(my god-
mother)
Sketching designs(Fashion gowns)/
sewing
"All the hard work paid off, we fi-
nally made it. Congratulations!"



Denae Pittman

Brazy Nae(Brazy Baby)
February 9, 1989
Ms. Landin
To do hair and cook
My mother/Aaliyah
Aaliyah/Murphy Lee
Doing hair/partying
"We made it! Ya'll already know
like!"



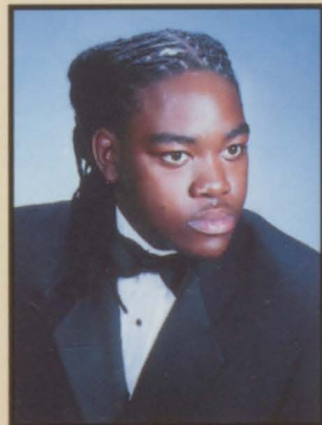
Jasmine Polhill

Jazz/Jazzy
December 27, 1989
Dr. Hall
To become a lawyer
My mother, sisters and father
Chris Brown
Shopping/talking on the phone/
hanging out with my family and
friends
"Live life to the fullest"



Nelson Proctor

Nellyville
January 8, 1989
Mrs. Springer
To make money
My mother
Nas
Getting money
"I'm outta here! Good luck. If it
don't make money, it don't make
sense."



Bridgette Reid

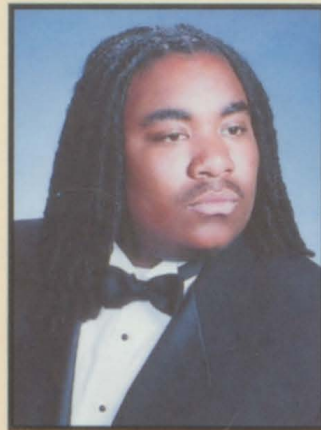
Bri-Bri/B-Hop
December 5, 1988
Mr. Ogele
To do as much as I can in life
Me
All R&B artist
Poetry/dancing/having fun
"Bye bye! It was nice to know you
all."



Class of 2007

Trameek Reliford

May 1, 1989
Mrs. Rashid
To become a Top Notch Carpenter
Mr. Ras Baraka
Tupac
Cooling with family/homeboys/
brothers
"Don't forget where you come from
and where you want to go."



Leszy Reynolds

Peachez
January 27
Ms. Ingram and Ms. Culp
To graduate from college and become
a successful teacher
Darlene Shaw
Kelly Price/Beyonce
Writing/talking on the phone
"Just be you and thats all a person can
ask for."



Liszy Reynolds

Candy
January 27, 1989
Mr. Howard/ Mr. Ford/Ms. Mathis
To become a Lawyer
My mother
Nelly/ Young Jeezy/ Monica
My Job (Mickey D's)
"Congratulations!"



Myeisha Richardson

Ma Ma
December 4, 1989
Mr. Hylton
To become a R.N.
My mother
Monica/Beyonce
Cheerleading
"I'm going to miss every last one of
ya'll."



Patrice Richardson

Tricey
October 26
Ms. Saunders
To become a medical assisant
My Mother
Lil' Wayne
Shopping
"I'm going to miss all of ya'll, even the
ones I don't like. Be all you can be."



Tierrah Richardson

Tee-Tee
February 13, 1989
Coach White
To make money
Anyone who succeeded
Lil Wayne
Reading/writing/baby sitting
"You never know what you can
achieve unless you try."



Danielle Roberson

Light skin/Whitegirl
Jul y 18, 1989
Mr. Hylton
To attain my goals/make money/
have a good career
Beyonce(Because of her goals)
Beyonce(Because of her money)
Writing/singing/laughing/having
fun/learning
"Have a good life, be someone, make
money, do you, and have goals."



Shantel Robinson

Telly
February 13
Ms. Hester
To become a Fashion Designer
Ms. D. Rashid
Lloyd
Sewing/going out with friends
"Strive for success and remember
Weequahic is our home."



Class of 2007

Tiffany Rush

Tif-Tif/Cheese Steak
February 27, 1989
Ms. Riley
To become a medical assistant &
Mortuary Scientist
Darne Williams
Darne Williams
Working/reading/chilling
with my boo/playing around
"Keep your head up, think positive
and do something in life."



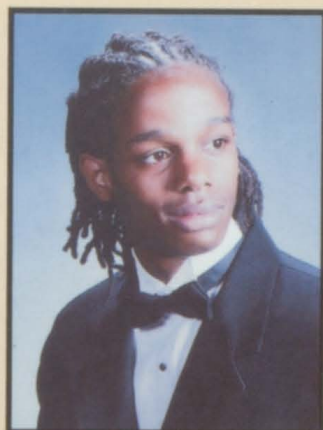
Shirlnika Salley

Resse
June 29, 1989
Ms. Stackhouse
To obtain a career as a Business and
Personal Lawyer
Samantha Salley(My mommy)
Lauren Hill
Debating / spending time with my
family and friends
"Determination is the key, motiva-
tion is part of the answer. Only you
can live your life, so make decisions
that you won't regret later."



Jarrell Samuel

Rell
July 26, 1989
Ms. Sanders
To be a great R&B Artist
My mother
Ne-Yo
Singing/ writing songs
"Keep your head up. We out."



Shaynea Sanders

Chyna
September 6, 1989
Ms. Sanders
To be rich
Tyra Banks
Beyonce
Singing/dancing/modeling
"07 stay fly"



Shannetta Scott

Big Pork
January 22, 1989
Mr. Zahir
To go to college
My sister
Lil' Wayne
Playing basketball/ writing
poems/ reading books
"Good luck in life. See you in the
summer."



Shahidah Shabazz

Da Sexy Diva Named Sha
February 21, 1989
Ms. Covington
To be successful and stay beautiful
Hello Kitty
Ashanti and Tupac
Writing poems/listening to music
"I am too beautiful to be under esti-
mated."



Mahasin Shahid

Shorty/Hassie
June 22, 1988
Mr. Zahir
To become a Medical Transcrip-
tionist and Basketball player
My mother
Ne-Yo
Shopping/playing basketball/
working on the computer/and
partying
"Stay out of trouble and stay
focused on the positive."



Aliah Sheffield

Liah
Novemeber 19, 1988
Ms. Price
To become a famous musician

Alicia Keys/Beyonce/Jarell
Writing/music/poetry/ singing/
piano
"You must not know about me."



Class of 2007

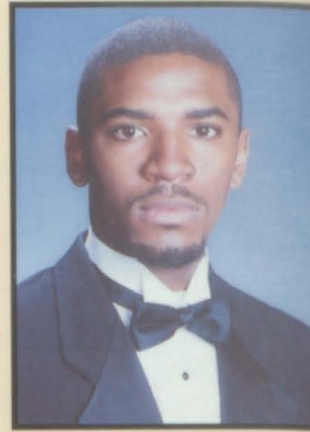
Reneasha Silver

Neash
February 9, 1989
Dr. Hall
To make it in life
Beyonce/my mother
Jim Jones
Poetry/sleeping/ having fun
"Life is what you make it, so live it right."



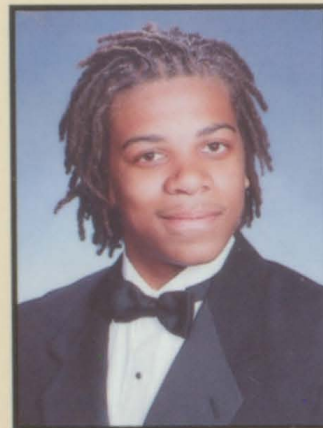
Phillip Simmons

KaotiQ
June 30, 1989
Mr. Hylton
To become a Weapons Designer
Hugh William , Jr. (My grandfather)
Jennifer Hudson
Writing/working/eating/building computers
"History is your biggest issue, solve it."



Phillip Small

Phil
October 7, 1988



Jazmine Smith

Lil' Jazz
May 1, 1989
Ms. Covington/Mr. Ogele
Nurse
Takiah(My big sister)
Lil' Romeo
Talking on the phone/running track
"Make it do what it do baby. So do you. One love , see you around."



Zakiyyah Smith

Big Zak
April 23, 1988

To become a model
Condoleezza Rice

Going out with my homies



Denneshia Solomon

Neshia
December 28, 1988
Ms.Daley
To go to College

Tupac
Parties
"We were the best class. We made it!, '07!"



Micquella Spates

Ryda G
April 9, 1988
Ms. Covington
To live a life of success

Basketball/Computers
"Good luck to everyone in the future and you already know, Eastside!!!"



Angelica Staton

Angel
July 28, 1988
Ms. Price/Mr. Healy
To become a Family Lawyer
Mariah Carey
Christina Aguilera
Singing/writing
"These were the best four years of our lives and if I could turn back time I wouldn't change a thing."



Class of 2007

Kerneel Stewart

Neel-le
July 12, 1989
Mr. Young
To become a doctor
My mother
Beyonce/Lil wayne
Softball/going out
"Yes! I can't believe I'm finally out of here."



Ashley Stith

Kiara
September 10, 1989
Mr. Jacob
To become a Child Psychologist.
My mother
Beyonce G. Knowles
Shopping/cheerleading/movies
"We finally made it!"



Hazul Stuckey

Stuckey
September 14
Mr.Ogele

My uncle
Young Jeezy/Jay-Z
Being with friends
"Everybody be cool, and do what you gotta do."



JeNina Sumner

Nae Nae
June 26, 1988
Mrs. Springer
To become a Fashion Designer
Eva Pigford
50 Cent/Brandy/Lil' Wayne
Shopping/Modeling
"Good luck and I wish you much success, 07!"



Shakirah Tanksley

Kirah
September 3, 1988
Ms. Sanders
To be in the Medical Field
Mrs. Faye Zealand
Beyonce
Computers/Phone
"I hope everyone who has been in Weequahic for the past four years succeeds. I love everyone."



Darryl Taylor

D. Nice
September 6, 1988
Mr. Zahir
To become a Detective
Norman Daes
DMX
Playing the drums
"See ya'll after college."

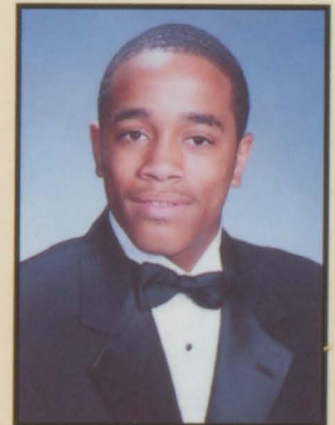


Patria Taylor

Tria
March 4, 1989
Ms. Covington
To become a Nurse
My mother
Hanging with friends
"Never give up, stay strong."



Darnee Thomas



Class of 2007

Natasha Thomas

Lil' Mama
July 23
Ms. Perry
To become a lawyer
My grandmother
Beyonce
Dancing/Talking
"I'm going to miss my homies and everybody be all that you can be."



Shadiyah Thomas

Shadimook
January 11, 1988
Mr. Young
To work my butt off
Ms. Sanders
Max B.
Shopping
"Live long and love hard."



Wyson Thomas

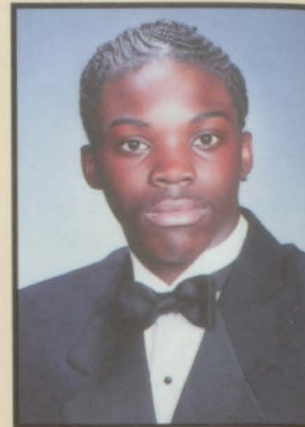
Waz B
June 15
Coach White
MY G. M crew
Myself
Max B
Getting money
"Catch up cause I'm in gear 3."



Aaron Thompson

ATJ
February 24, 1989
Mr. Akinyele
To become a Business Man

Jadakiss/Ludacris
Basketball/Football
"I thank all the teachers who put up with my behavior over the years."



Rashod Thompson

Shod/Tyler Perry
July 17, 1989
Mr. Akinyele
To become a computer teacher/work in a salon
Grace Benson
Beyonce/Chris Brown
Bowling/Golf
"I hope you have a wonderful life."



Hervey Thrasybule

Herv
August 16

Life
Myself
Jay-Z/Eminem
Music



Shukriy Tilghman

KRE-KRE
February 8, 1989
Mr. Zahir

Mr. Zahir
Nas
Boxing
"Ballin!!!"



Safeequah Todd

Feek
March 7
Ms. Covington
To graduate from high school

Lil' Wayne
"Good luck and I'll holla. Keep your head up."



Class of 2007

Cherrice Townes

Reese
 Septeber 10, 1989
 Ms. Sanders
 To become a FashionModel
 Myself
 Beyonce
 Shopping/dancing/being me.
 "You can like everyone but trust
 no one."



Jahquill Turner

Quill/Big Pork
 May 6, 1989
 Mrs. Springer/Ms.Sanders
 To become a Business Owner
 Ras Baraka(my uncle)
 Jadakiss/Serious Jones
 Internet/School
 "You should of been a Weequahic
 Indian because we Ballin."



MarJay Van Ceah

Jay
 October 25, 1988
 Mr. Akinronbi
 To become a succesful Doctor
 My cousin
 Ne-Yo
 Sleeping/going out/shopping
 "Congrats, we di d it and I hope to
 see you in college."



Antwaanette Walker

Monique
 June 20, 1988
 Mr. Zahir
 To become a R.N.
 Myself
 Monica
 "Mob on Day School. Twilight all day.
 Ya digg.!"



Tashiia Walker



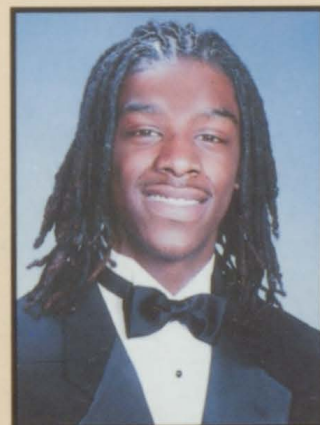
Attache Walker-Jackson

Teasha
 August 22, 1988
 Ms. Rashid
 To become a Nurse, Lawyer
 India Arie
 Aaliyah
 Reading/talking on the phone/shop-
 ping
 "Stay strong, a mind is a terrible thing
 to waste."



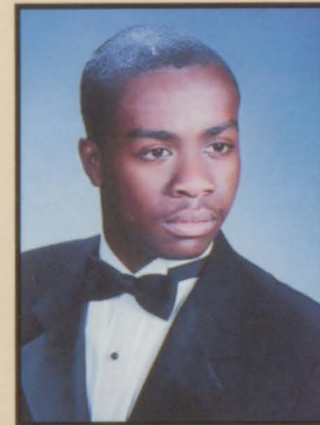
Thomas Waller

Naadir
 March 7, 1989
 Ms. Covington
 To get money
 My mother
 Styles P
 Basketball
 "Do what yall do! Good Luck."



Kevin Washington

Matty
 June 20, 1989
 Mrs. Springer/Mr. Kallas
 To play professional basketball
 Vince Carter
 Usher/ Lil' Wayne
 Singing/basketball/computers
 "We out of here! You already know
 like."



Class of 2007

Fatia Watson

Tia
Septmeber 9
Mrs. Perry
To become a Brain Surgeon
Ms. Blake/Ms. Watson(my mother)
Cassidy
Marching band(Drum major)/Clown-
ing
"Keep a smile on your face...Klownz."



Latoya Wellons

Toya
October 4, 1989
Mr. Ogele
To help people

Beyonce
Writing poems/ hanging with friends
"Remember the higher the education
you have, the more money you get. "



Tyrone Whitaker

Ty-Greazy

Bill Gates

"Im out."



Orie Wigent

Big Mama
December 19,1988
Ms. Landin
To become a Forensic Scientist
My mother
DMX
Singing/writing/ going to church
"May your life be full of happiness
and success."



Hassan Wilder

G
October 8
Ms. Daley

Myself
Lil' Wayne
Cooling with the homies
"Keep hope alive."



Latarrah Wilder

RedBone NTG
September 9
Mr. Healy
To be successful in life, so that I can
provide for my family

Lil' Wayne
Computer surfing/shopping
"Be successful so when it's time for
our class reunion, we'll have success
stories to share."



Brittany Williams

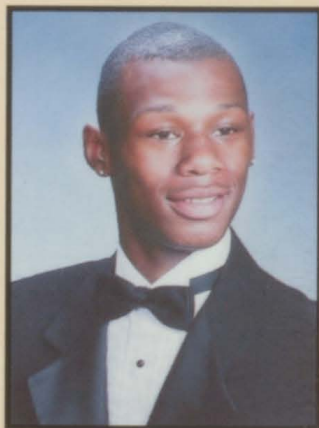
Block's Wifey/Britt
December 4, 1989

To become a Doctor
My mother
R. Kelly
Playing basketball/reading
"Keep your head up and follow your
goals."



Darne Williams

Nae-reala
July 3 , 1989
Ms. Hester
To be successful
Tiffany Rush
Cypha /Spazz
Rapping/school/ lifting weights
"Get money."



Class of 2007

Sharnae Willimas

Nae
April 27, 1989
Mr. Zahir
To become a Doctor(OB/GYN)
My grandmother
Pharell
Shopping/bowling/going to the movies
"Remember my name because you're going to be screaming it later!"



Shawn Williams

S dot
May 31, 1989
Ms. Covington
To live my life to the fullest
My family
Basketball
"I'm gonna miss everybody. I love ya'll."



Aliya Wood

Lee-Lee
July 7, 1989
Mr. Zahir
To be successful in life
Valerie Wood(My mother)
Jay-Z
Cheerleading
"Congratulations! We did it."



Porsha Woodson

Lucy
February 13, 1989
Mr. Young
To become a Pediatric Nurse
My mom
Beyonce
Softball
"To my fellow students, I hope everyone has a blessed and safe life."



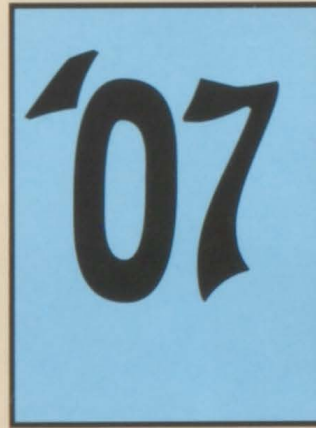
Rhodaline Wright

Rhodalestine
October 31, 1989
Mr. Young
To graduate and persevere my goals of becoming a RN
My parents
Kirk Franklin
Playing piano/listening to music/reading
"Be strong, achieve, succeed and always remember not to give up."



Class of 2007

The Best Senior class ever
September 2003
All the Teachers
For everyone to SUCCEED!!!!!!
All the positive people in the world
EVERYONE!!!!!!!!!!
Doing well in school/ Graduating
"Congratulations to everyone in the class of '07! I wish you all success."



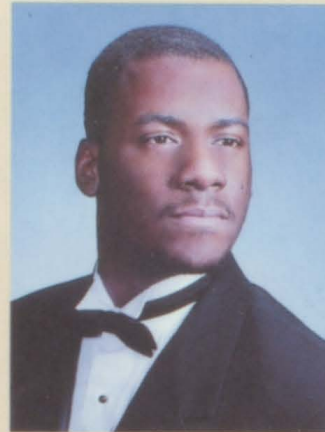
Seniors are Excellent!

Class of 2007



Tiffany Garris

Tiff
August 24, 1989
Ms. Covington
To become a Mortician or a Nurse
My mother
Aaliyah
Skating
"I wish everyone the best of luck in
the future. Good luck!"



Amir Whitehead



Adonis Thomas



Ahmed Evans

A.E. 32
October 19, 1988
Ms. Daley
To go to college and succeed in
life
My Aunt
Juelz Santana
Movies/the mall/ chillin'
"We are what we do and not
what we say."



Rashod Russell

*Congratulations!!!
to the
Class of 2007*

Class of 2007

Though we don't have pictures to help you recognize us, we still hope that the information provided will enable you to know us better and remember us.

Hamza Abdul-Haqq

Sneak 93
June 24, 1989
Mr. Akinyele
To become an Actor/Rapper
Jim Jones
Jim Jones

Lari Arrington

Luigi
December 13, 1988
Mrs. Springer
To move to Japan
Utada Hikaru

Abdul Baldwin

AB
November 27, 1989
Mr. Healy
To graduate and continue with life
Jay-Z
Jay-Z
Chillin'/rapping
"Congrats to all and have a happy future. Holla at your boy!"

Ashley Brewton

Ley Ley/Nyah
July 25, 1989
Mr. Akinyele
My sisters and mother
Myself
Beyonce
Singing/ movies/ shooting pool
"We've come too far to give up now."

Iesha Brooks

Esh
June 25, 1989
Ms. Bracok/Mr. Hylton

Beyonce
Lil' Wayne
Sewing/talking on the phone

Steven Constant

\$-doTt
July 24, 1989

To succeed in life
Snoop
Lil' Wayne/ Jay-Z/ 50 Cent

Tatiana Cruel

Tati
Decmber 20, 9188
Mr. Akinyele
To become a Lawyer
My mother
Juelz Santna/ Usher/Ne-Yo
Cheerleading
"Keep your head up, and good luck in the future."

Bianca Daniel

BB
May 31, 1989
Ms. Daley
To become a Lawyer/ Judge/Math Teacher
My grandmother
Tupac
Softball
"Always keep your head up and stay focused."

Tyrone Dixon

T Bone
August 15, 1989
Mr. Page
To become a Police Officer
My pastor
50 Cent

"It was good to be here at Weequahic."

Devon Fields

Gutta
April 16
Mr. Sneed

Fabolous
Making beats
"I will see you later."

Johnnie Hannah

Butta
September 28

To go to college and make money
Jim Jones/my brothers/myself
50 Cent/ Jim Jones/Chris Brown/Lil' Wayne
Rapping/writing music
"Make life right for yourself in the future."

Freddy Illa

Bobby Valentino/Trey Songs
March 23, 1989

To become a Doctor
Myself
Lil' Wayne

"Good luck to everyone."

Class of 2007

Jabril Jackson

Gangsta Brizzle
February 17
Ms. Perry
To graduate from college
Tracy McGrady
Dipset

Dujuan Jenkins

Dirty-D/#1
December 4, 1988
Mr. Ramos
To get rich
Coach White
Dirty-D ENT.
Playing sports
"Good luck to all of my seniors."

Imane Jones

Mookie
August 6, 1989
Mr. Healy
To become an Accountant/Real Estate Agent
Nancy(My mommy)
Ciara
Talking on the phone/shopping /spending time with my hubby
"You shoulda been an Indian, Class of 07!"

Monisha LaBerth

December 16
Mrs. Springer
To make it through college and be successful
My mom/sisters
So many
Writing/reading/ listening to music
"Good luck to everyone and we made it. Love ya'll."

Rayvon Lisbon

Rugga/Ripp
February 4, 1989
Mr. Akinyele
To succeed in life and become a wealthy man
Myself
Styles P
Chillin'/ getting money/ reading interesting books
"Don't forget about me, I won't forget about ya'll. To my real dudes, money over everything. Get money or get nothing."

Yasar Malik

Ya Ya
March 12, 1988
Ms. Springer
"Good luck to all of Weequahic High School."

Sharif Patterson

Pop Didly
June 8, 1989
Mr. Akinyele/Ms. Burton
To become a Real Estate Agent
Mardellus"Bishop" Allen/
Mr. Akinyele/ Ian Scoot/ Huey P. Newton
Malcolm X(poet)/Jay-Z
Basketball/ football/dancing
"I've seen life and death over the past 4 years. I'm just blessed to still be here. R.I.P. Criag and Dash E.S."

Jamaal Perry

Doo-Doo/Doo-Roc
April 7, 1988
Ms. Covington
To become a Football Star
Coach White
Lil' Wayne
Sports
"I love you all, peace."

Claurice Scott

Poody
June 6
Ms. Price
My mother
Beyonce
Shopping/movies/bowling/ being with friends
"Don't get shot at and stay a live. That's the truth."

Jahaad Sharpe

December 27, 1989
Mr. Akinyele
To become a Clothing Designer
My father
Weezy
Basketball
"East Side."

Caprice Simmons

August 22
Mr. Hanna/ Mrs. Springer
To further my education and make it.
My daddy(luv ya)
Lil' Wayne
Boxing/Basketball
"Im going to stay cute and get my education on, I hope ya'll do the same."

Adriane Smith

Smiley/Smay
August 22, 1988
Ms. Landin
To become a Lawyer
My coach, Amiri Barak/Brittany (My best friend)
Keyshia Cole/ Mary J. Blige
Basketball/getting girls
"It's all about the class of '07' Girls Basketball Team."

Martin Smith

Sheed/ Dudie
November 2, 1988
Mr. Zahir/Mr. Moore
To become a Basketball Player/Boxer/ Veterinarian
My Grandfather/Michael Jordan/Muhammad Ali
50 Cent
Basketball/Lifting/Chillin' with Jarrius
"It's all a mental game."

Shakira Waye

Pooh-da
March 22, 1988
Mrs. Springer
To make it big in the business world
My mother
Ciara
Basketball/writing poems/ drawing
"Good luck in the future."

Tiffany Wilson

Tiff
July 30, 1989
Mr. Healy
To graduate from high school and college
Ras Baraka
Beyonce
Shopping/ watching T.V.

*Faculty
&
Administration*



*Bravo to the unique and great faculty
who have worked together to create the
successful students of the Class of 2007.*



*Thank you , Gracias, Merci Beaucoup,
Mgoi, Oyiwaladon, Spasibo*



Congratulations to the Class of 2007!

This class epitomizes the sentiment of the 2006 quote by John Gardner that reads, "We are all faced with a series of great opportunities brilliantly disguised as insoluble problems." It's also what we're talking about when we sing, "It's so hard to be an Indian."

You have over achieved in every measurable area of student performance from social, emotional, and personal growth to unprecedented success academically as well as making history in becoming state champions in football. Every class since 2001 has given me cause to be proud, however none as much as yourselves. You arrived at Weequahic when we were labeled the worst

high school in Newark. In 2002, kids were prouder to fight in the halls than they were to work for passing grades. They were prouder to rep their street colors than school colors. There were fifty fans in the stands for a home football game and nobody even remembered the last time we won.

What changed?

The same insoluble problems that existed in 2002 are still out there. Kids still come to high school ill-prepared. Crime, violence and absentee parents still plague our neighborhoods. Widespread poverty and poor health care is our reality and still we rise. We rise because you refused to be held down. We rise because you bought into the belief that we owe it to each other to change the world. We rise because the alternative is nothing short of a slow death. What changed was your perception of our reality. Although we live in inferior conditions, you would not accept being labeled inferior. In spite of being surrounded by the gang culture, you choose to rep Indian Pride over Bloods and Crips. More important than anything else you proved that where you are going is more important than where you're from.

Your tenure here at Weequahic has proven to me that there is no challenge you cannot overcome, nor any problems you cannot solve. We are friends for life.

"Go forth and do well."

Sincerely,

Ronald G. Stone

To the Class of 2007

It has been an all-time wonderful four years with you at Weequabic High School. I remember arriving, as an administrator to Weequabic in February 2004, and felt relaxed at my homecoming back to the school where I started teaching 10 years before! I can still see myself assigned to the North cafeteria -4th lunch with most of you!

As I look back over this last school year, I am honored to remember and observe you in moments of happy, heartbreaking and festive events as well as your being creative, scholastic, and compassionate people.

Every person at Weequabic, including staff and students, have contributed to the special place that is Weequabic High School, and you should be proud of yourselves for getting this far. You will graduate from this school based on all your hard work AND with God [Allah], your parents/gaurdians, and the teachers & staff's help.

As we wind down to another chapter in our lives, it is time for me to say thank you for touching my life; for allowing me to be a catalyst of knowledge in your lives; and to wish you all the success in store for you in the years to come.

For the students moving on to college, make the best of the education you recieve and I encourage you to continue communication between yourselves and Weequabic High School. A man/woman is not wise by the knowledge be/sbe receives and stores, but rather by sbaring and passing it on to others.

Good louck, health and happiness to you.

Salute,

Elizabeth A. Haden

Vice Principal





Congratulations to the Class of 2007! Your graduation from Weequahic High School is an accomplishment of which you and your family should be proud. It is the stepping stone that will open up a world of opportunity for you to pursue.

Abraham Lincoln said, "Always bear in mind that your own resolution to succeed is more important than any one thing." Your ability to overcome the challenge faced in high school demonstrates your strength of character and is clear evidence that you can accomplish whatever you put your mind to. Whether you are pursuing a degree in college or entering the workforce, have confidence in yourself and never give up. If you are committed to your goals, you will succeed!

*David Oliveira
Vice Principal*



English

Department

Gwen Sherman, Department Chairperson



Zuzanna Bracok



Regina Covington



Tamela Culp



Shantay Cureton



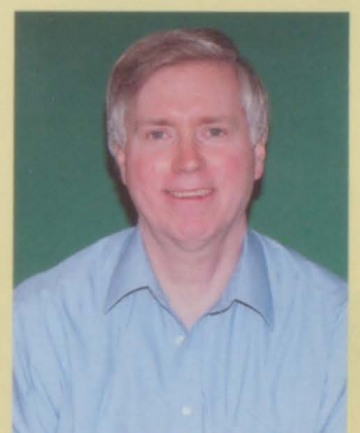
Janice Findley



Timothy Healy



Robert Hylton



Bruce Jacob



Ofelia Pancarician



Rosalind Robinson



Justin Snead



Nyoka Stackhouse



Faheem Ellis



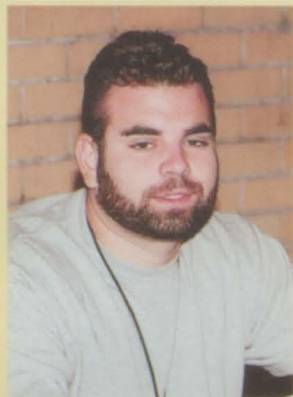
Emanuel Henderson



Larry Jackson



Justin Kaufman



Darius Kopec



Denise Landin



Shirley Lucas



Clara Marcheco



Lleathern McCleod



Lilia Moysam



Aura Ortegon



Eleanor Perry



Lavinia Rogers



Keya Sanders



Phillip Young



Yvonne Blake, Department Chairperson

Physical Education & World Languages



Mathematics Department

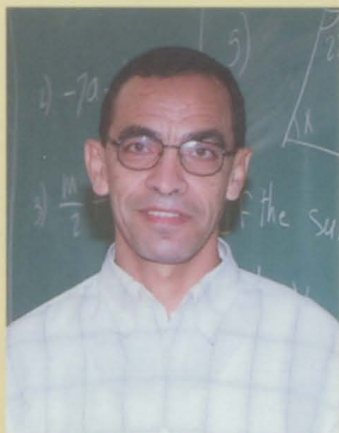
Ayisha Ingram, Department Chairperson



Maria Anastasi-Lopes



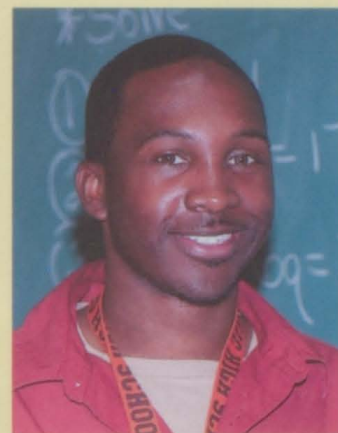
Matthew Cherian



Magdy Hanna



Tiffini Harris



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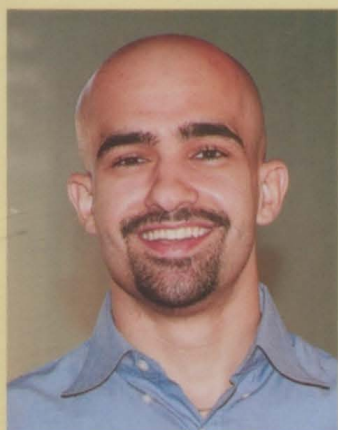
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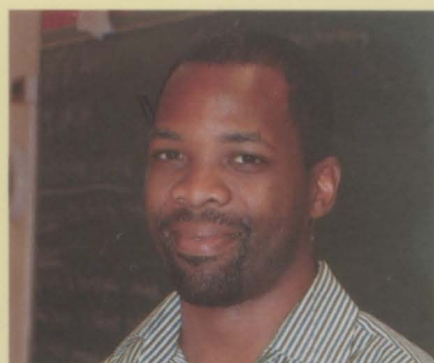
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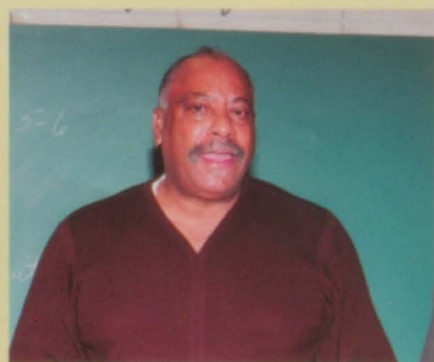
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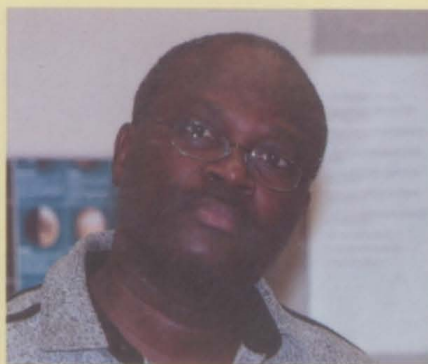


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Science, Business & Practical Arts



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Juan Alvarez



Jay Bhuta



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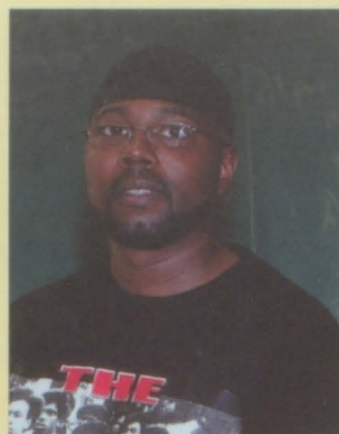


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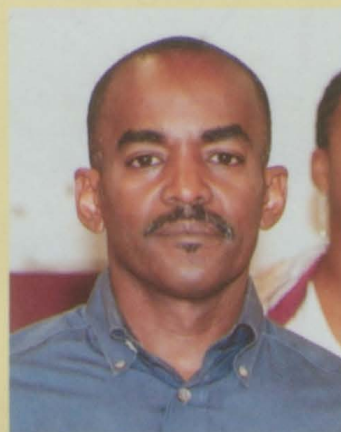
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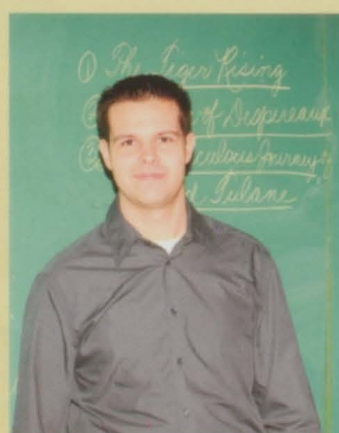
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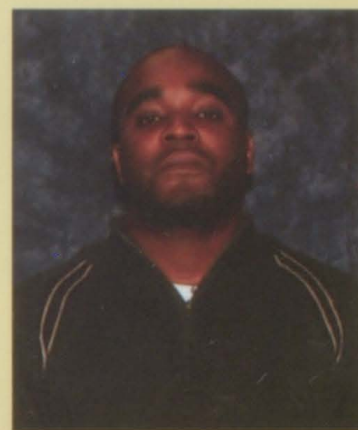


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Rasheedah Salaam



Denise Banks



Yolanda Bogan



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Michael Smith

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Rowena Rose, DC

Kelly Lyons



Nurse

Andrea Tatum

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Mary Ann Armstrong



Francesa Bonivita



Michelle Bryant



Felicia Gray



Rosalyn Patterson



Keim Silva



(Left to right) Mr. Williams, Mr. Briggs, Mr. Bowens, Ms. Crawford, Ms. Kelly, Ms. Justice, Mr. Brown, Ms. Bennet

C U R I T Y



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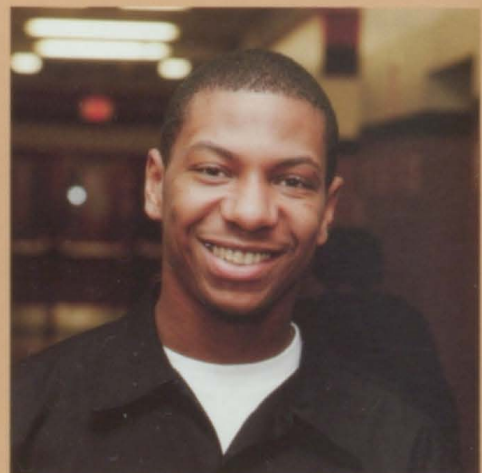
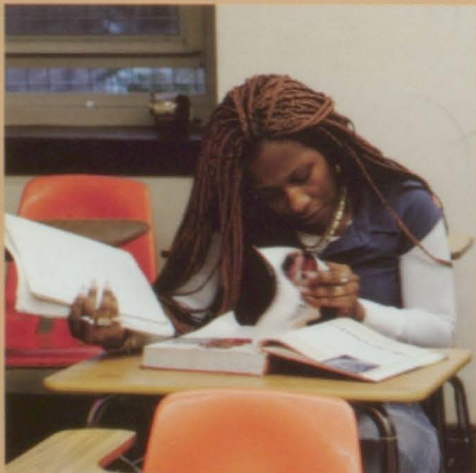


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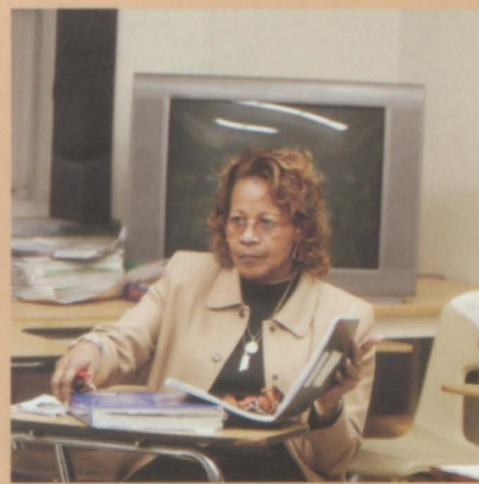
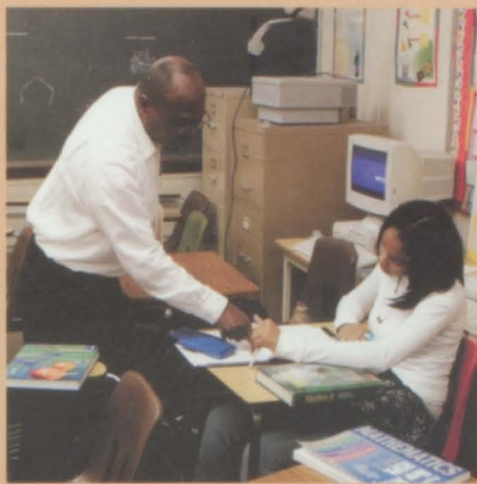
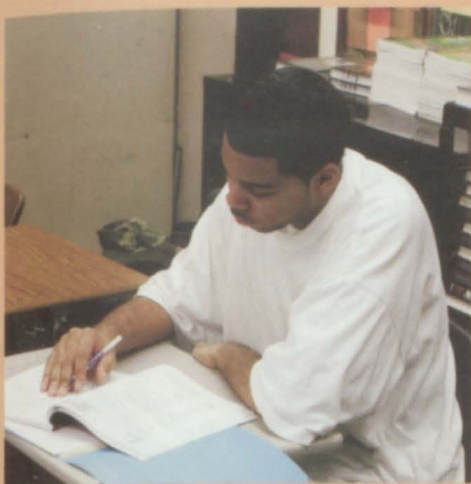


Mr. Riviera

Twilight



Section



“It’s better than day school. Students learn, no fights, and there’s unity. You get to have fun while learning.”

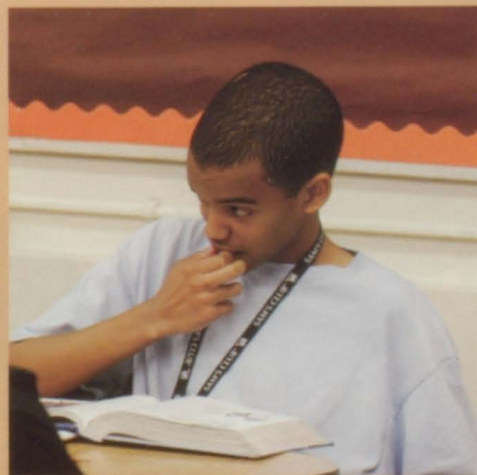
-Tyshon Daniels

“[It] Offers a second chance to get my academic life on track.”

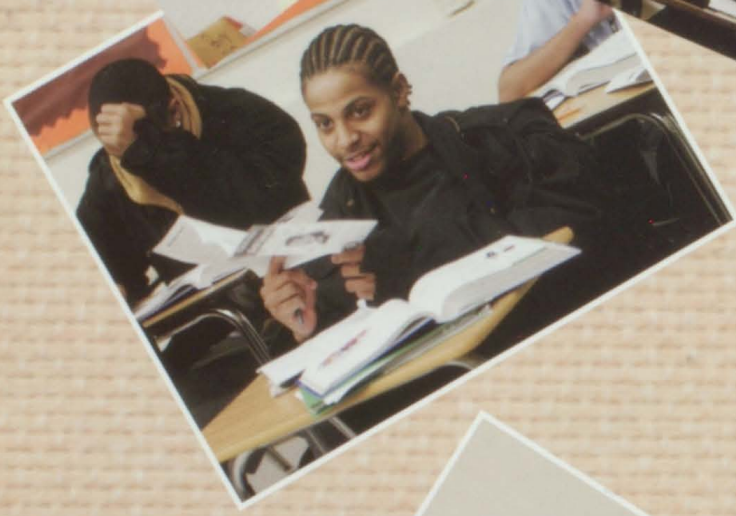
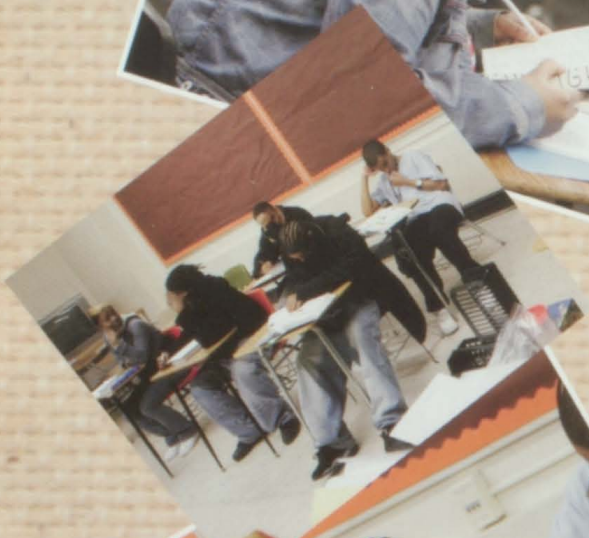
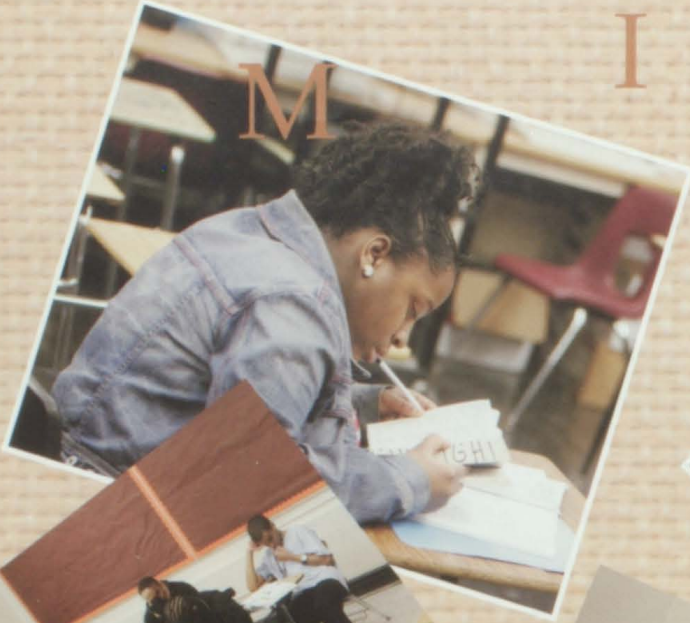
-James Walters

“ [There is] Less people, less drama, and more concentration.”

-Daquan Mckay



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Underclassmen
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Freshmen

Sophomores

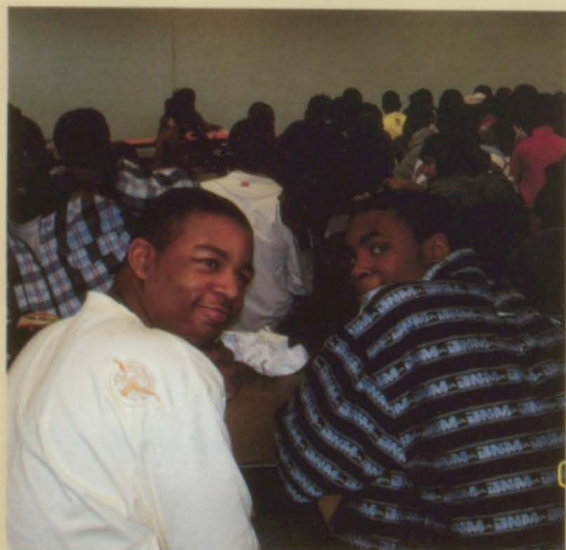
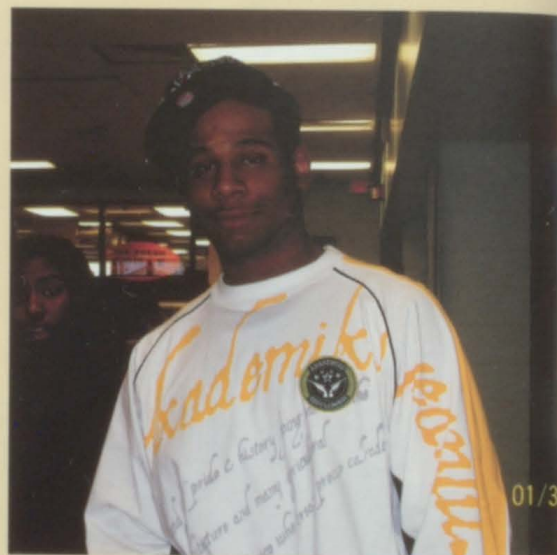
Juniors





Juniors

Class Of...



...2008

Class of 2008



Hasnaa Adul-kabeer
Olivia Adams
Ashley Aikens
Al-nisa Allen
Tatiana Allen
Sherrell Arrington



Yetunde Bajomo
Shaniqua Banks
Ibrahima Bayo
Iesha Benbow
L'kapree Bethea
Shakina Bloomfield



Amad Bogar
Appiffany Boston
Freddie Boule
Alain Breton
Jamayra Brimley
Love Brooks



Akeem Brown
Justin Brown
Kelvin Brown
Tarrelle Brown
Waverly Bryant
Saheeda Bullock



Raflat Busari
Samira Campbell
Greta Carson
Tianah Chambers
Marjorie Chavers
Willie Cleveland



Cornellus Cohen
Kevon Coker
Hasan Coleman
Steevel Corlelan
Katena Covington
Tyneisha Covington

Barbara Crentsil
Lacrecia Curry
Salaam Curtis
Eric Daniels
Da'shaun Diggs-wright
Brian Doris



Adrian Dorset
Azizah Dowdell
Sharonda Duncan
Jasmine Eargie
Tanazah Eason
Alicia Easterling



Laquintah Edrington
Porscha Fleming
Erica Folks
Sharmayne Fontaine
Cory Fulston
Cameron Glenn



Alexandria Gooding
Lanisha Gordon
William Gordon
Naekena Green
Shantale Green
Stephen Green



Nafeesah Gundy
Sadatu Gunone
Desean Hamilton
James Harris
Jasmine Harris
Jaquay Harrison



Misty Hawkins
Terrell Hearn
Jessica Hickson
Almond Hill
Tiffany Hill
Dayvon Holmes



Patrick Howell
Shanal James
Denisha Johnson
Jasman Johnson
Whylia Johnson
Ajaa Jones





Andre Jones
Daveon Jones
Dwayne Jones
Jasmine Jones
Yasmina Jones
Kashif Jones



Lorraine Kelly
Sharon Khaliym
Idias King
Latasha Lassiter
Deanna Little
Aijha Martin



Jessica Martin
Natarsia Mccalla
Lamar Mccray
Michael Mcdonald
Amber Mckinney
Tyshon Mclaughlin



Lakimah Mcmillan
Carl Mcmillan
Tiara Montgomery
Yasmine Moody
Jasmeine Moore
Abdullah Muhammad



Karima Muhammad
Allen Murray
Teanna Norwood
Al-rahman Ore
Nicole Parson
Kia Patterson



Jayson Perry
Danayia Pettaway
Jamel Phillips
Malcolm Pierce
Latisha Prophete
Tajharay Pugh



Jahanna Reese
Naimah Richardson
Shaniqua Robinson
Alisha Rogers
Tyree Sanders
Chytara Scott

Josetta Simmons
 Melisa Singh
 Dashawn Singleton
 Danielle Sly
 Danielle Small
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 Terrell Smith
 Muhammad Steed
 Aniyah Steele
 Kriston Stewart
 Shanayia Taylor



Stanjune Taylor
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 Jessie Thomas
 Mackenson Thomas
 Dawan Thomas
 Beatrice Torto



Tiara Vaughan
 Rahon Vines
 Richard Ware III
 Khairi Warren
 Taneisha Webb
 Ronnie West



Rajon Whitaker
 Marie White
 Armenthia Wilcher
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 Danielle Williams
 Ishmail Williams



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 Ladavon Williams
 Lamar Williams
 Clarenica Williamson
 Ashmere Wilson
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Yakim Winningham
 Denzel Wood
 Ciera Wooten
 Jaquetta Wright
 Jerod Young





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Of

2009



Class of 2009

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Tyree Adams
Paulina Alabi
Emmanuel Alexander
Idris Alston
Monique Anderson
Terrance Bailey



Taj Beckett
Monica Blackmon
Chantay Blazer
Miranda Brailsford
Antwan Branch
Shahid Brown
Tracy Brunson



Elijah Bryant
Lena Brydie
Najah Burks
Steven Byrd
Jerome Conover
Portia Cooper
Khalil Davis



Mummar Davis
Aaron Dennison
Melissa Dhanoolal
Sutonah Floyd
Terrell Forester
Denzell Foster
Laquashia Gordon



Jazamine Goss
Chamel Grant
Kerry Graves
Lia Green
Courtney Greene
Markenjay Gunone
Tanisha Harris



Dawan Harrison
Bianca Harvey
Thomas Hayes
Nyjira Hill
Shante Hinton
La=tiyah Hood
Kenyahdah Hopkins



Ishmeel Huggins
Mariah Hunt
Tiffany Hyman
Ibn Ingram
Shaniyah Jackson
Tyeisha Jackson
Joyce Johnson



Class of 2009



Malik Johnson
Shamira Joiner
Anthony Jones
Sade Jones
Rasean Lawrence
Tajh Lee
Jude Lerissant

Tiarra Lewis
Al-tia Lindore
Coredress Lindsey
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Shaquan Marks
Najee Mccargo
Karaan Mccargo-Allen

Asha Mccray
Shadai Mcdowell
Ernisa McLendon
Abdul Mercer
Katerina Montford
Montrell Moody
Amelia Moore

Kenneth Moore
Pamelia Moore
Kasey Mosley
Dawaan Moss
Ashley Oke
Dashawnah Palmer
Tonnette Patterson

Lamis Shakirullah
Aisha Smith
Daaiyah Smith
Eric Smith
Thomas Smith
Mariah Tillies
Dashawn Vines

Jamillah Vines
Xavier Walker
Qatashia Washington
Tiaira Wheeler
Cumorah Williams
Khadeejah Williams
Nakirah Williams

Shakyah Williams
Taliah Williams
Asia Wilson
Hazirah Winbush
Nadira Winstead
Jasmine Yelverton
Sasha Young

Class of 2010



Freshmen

Class of 2010



Dominique Alford
Oba-jabri Andrews
Darnell Atkins
Hakimah Austin
James Barrow
Jamillah Bell
Saleem Bey
Tamr Blakeley
Andrew Bodison

Michael Bowen
Candace Bowies
Najeedah Bowman
Terrance Bradley
Niyale Branch
Tony Branch
Shaheed Broner
Cheryl Brown
Jahleel Brown

Marquis Brown
Shamar Brown
Ibn Brydie
Nikita Brydie
Jerry Butler
Marquis Butler
Tiliyah Canzatar
Raymond Carson
Aaron Carter

Richard Charles
Giovanni Clark
Jamal Coago
Amber Cody
Jamil Coleman
Robert Cribb
Tiyannah Cromwell
Shaniqua Davis
Keyana Davis-Fuenes

Dashanne Dortch
Wali Downey
David Drake
William Durrette
Quaneesha Dwight
Eunice Dwumfour
Adeva Edwards
Robinson Elijah
Matthew Elliot

Paul Ensley
Jaquella Evans
Khalid Evans
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Osarenomase Eweka
Shamece Falana
Shanice Falana
Evette Fedd
Laquia Ferguson

Robert Ford
Jamel Foster
Ashanay Gadson
Shantela Gibbs
Kareem Gifford
Ahmad Gillmore
Rahjuhn Goins
Jahlil Goodwin
Quanieshia Gordon

Eddie Grant
Yashenn Grant
Kelly Green
Nadrah Green
Tikema Greene
Curtis Grimsley
Sharon Grimsley
Melissa Hagler
Ashly Hall

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Quadir Hargrove
Khari Harris
Shanre Harris
Jacqueline Harrison
Devante Hawes
Dyshaneek Hill
Tomirah Hines
Sabraya Hodge
Eric Hunter



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Asia Jackson
Italyah Jackson
Tiffany Jackson
Rochelle James
Tiera James
Lateesha Jennings
Tiffany Jobe
Keanu Johnson



Mariah Johnson
Shameena Johnson
Tanasha Johnson
Henry Jones
Jiada Jones
Suzette Jones
Tashebla Jones
Marcus Kelly
Jaycee Laseter



Terrance Latham
Monisha Lee
Tiana Lewis
Billy Lynn
Chernise Mahabir
Teara Malchi
Basquan Mann
Ben Mann
Daquan Martin



Islah Martin
Yendra Martin
Shanay McCoy
Marcas McDaniel
Kristopher Mckoy
Bianca Mclemore
Samone McLendon
Shahfiquah McLendon
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Wali Murray



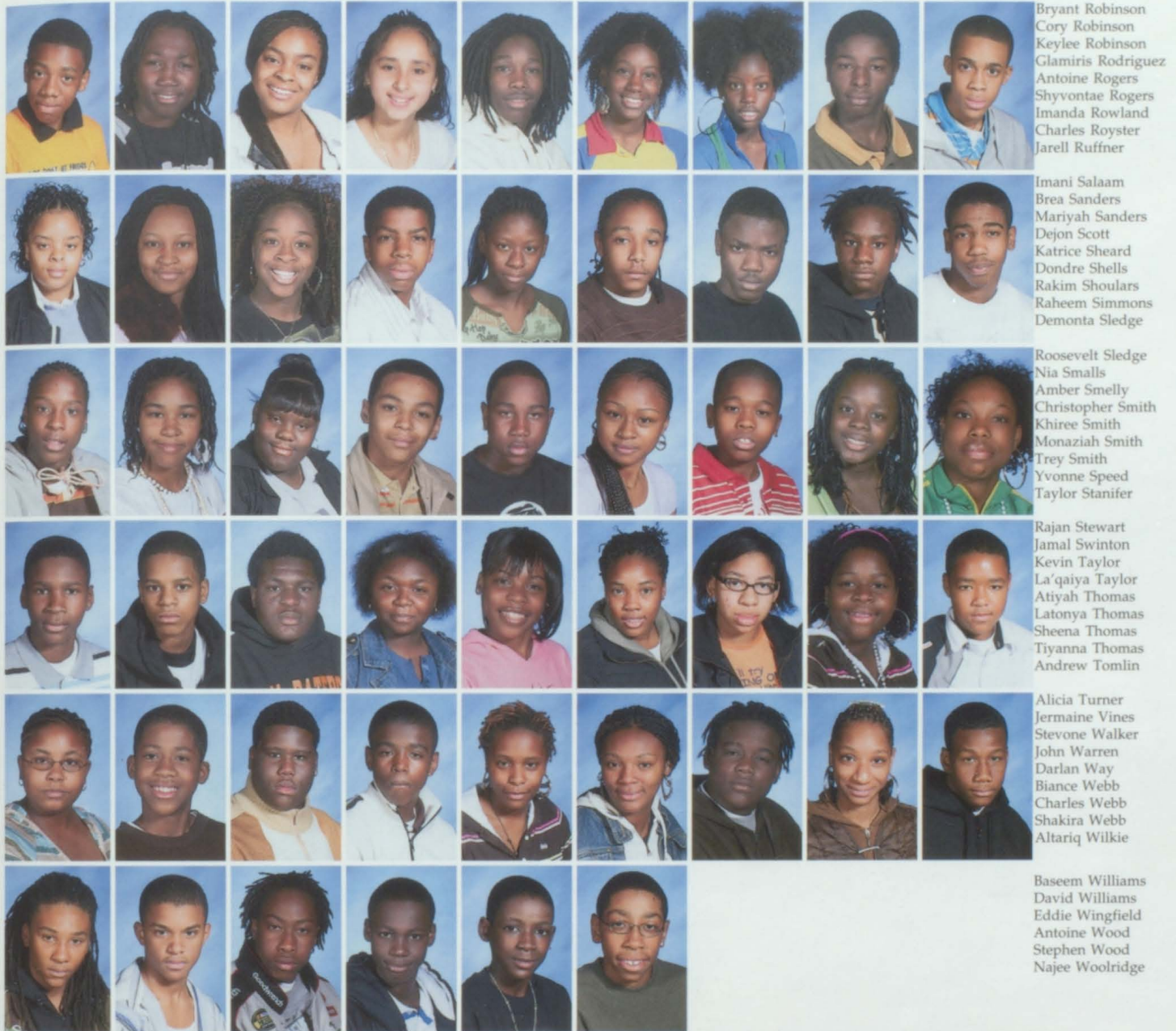
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Joachim Nance
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Laquan Onque
Lenita Onque
Shahid Onque
Ines Perez
Todd Peterson



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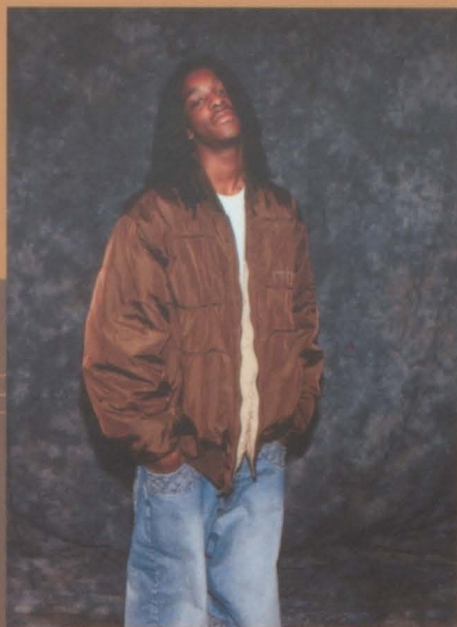
SUPERLATIVES





Most Unchanged

Takiyah Jones



Most Friendly

**Hazul Stuckey
&
Jasmine Polhill**

Most Unchanged

**Thomas
Waller**

Most Talkative

**Natasha Thomas
&
Charlston Manning**



Most likely To Be Famous

Kareem Phelps

Most Changed

**Javaughn
Bonney**





Best Eyes

**Tyrone Whittaker
&
Devielle Allen**

Best Hair Styles

Caprice Simmons



Best Hair Styles

Justin Humprey



Shyest

**Ya-Ya Bell
&
Jessica Meachum**



Most Likely To Succeed

Kevin Washington



Most Likely To Be Famous

Breaunna Pickney



Miss IQ.

Naomi Agjei



Most Improved

Trameek Reliford

Mr. IQ.

**Dominick
Brown**



Late Bird

Karessa Davis



Best Smile

**Denae
Pittman**



Best Dressed

**Tiye
Pettaway**



Most Gullible

Destiny Clark





Teacher's Pet

**Shirlnika Sally
&
Jhamil Ervin**

Most Athletic

Jazmine Smith



Most School Spirit

Tiffany Hannah



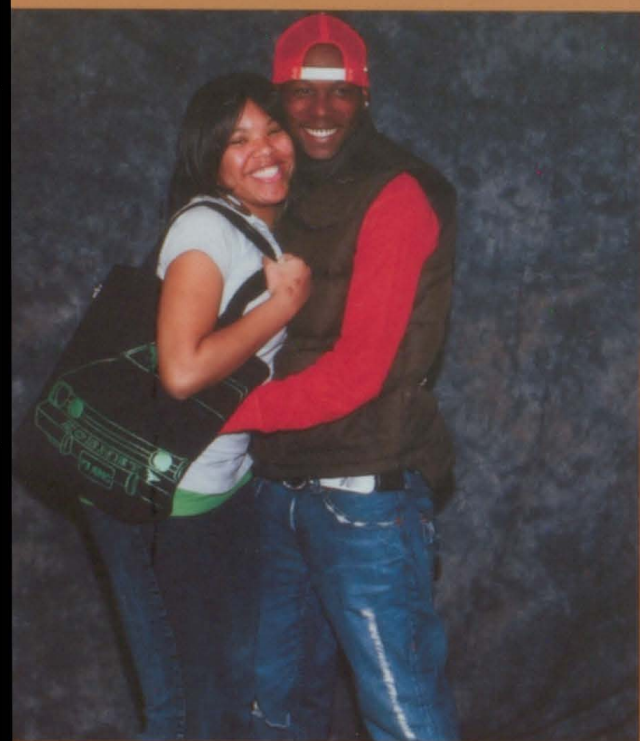
Loudest

**Yasmirah Pamplin
&
Khamar Abnaytha**



Class Clown

Angel Charles



Class Clown

Dajuan Jenkins





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Samira Campbell,
Sharmayne Fontaine,
Kumeisha Reid



Transition Project



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Shaniqua Robinson

Tennis Club



Ranisha Jackson,
Shaquan Marks

Ms. Cureton
Advisor,
Aniyah Steele,
Kourtney
Awadalla >

Debate Team



Calumet

Advisor Mr. Healy,
Janae Williams,
Sharmayne Fontaine,
Latisha Prophte,
Rafiat Busari Enny,
Barbara Crentsil,
Alisha Rogers,
Christian Bridges,
Samira Campbell,
Jyrelle Johnson



Tradition

Junior Class Officers

Advisor Mrs. Bogan,
Samira Campbell,
Yetunde Bajomo,
Sherrell Arrington,
Barbara Crentsil,
Rafait Busari,
Latisha Prophete



Future Teachers

Advisor Mrs. Robinson,
Takiyah Jones,
J. Jennson,
Nijah Randolph,
Shirlnika Salley



Craft & Quilting

Shaniqua Banks,
Ciera Wooten,
Shante Gifford,
Mysia Patterson,
Sharmayne Fontaine,
Trenei Davis,
Alisha Rogers



Concert Band

Advisor Mr. Page,
Darryl Taylor Jr,
Al-Kareem Phelps,
Lamar Jackson-Lee,
Marquis Arrington,
ChaVaughn O'Neal



Medical & Dental Club



Advisor Mr. Bhuta,
Naomi Adjei,
Ieisha Simmons,
Titilayo Lawal,
Najlaa Shareef,
Chanel Grant,
Lamis Shakir-ullah,
Monica Blackmon,
Ashley Uke,
Keayanah Davis,
Joyce Johnson,
Glennys Franco,
Shayla Dickson,
Monique Anderson,
Lene Brydre,
Pamelia Moore,
Kumesha Reed,
Tajia Lee,
Shaniqua Robinson,
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Jessica Martin,
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Sharonda Duncan,
Yusef Hudson,
James Harris,
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Bayo Ibrahima,
Latifah Majette,
Jhamil A. Ervin,
Eric Daniels



Sisters About Progress



Tiye Pettaway,
Latoya Wellons,
Angel Charles,
Denaee Pittman,
Destiny Clark,
Natasha Thomas,
Jessica Meachem,
Ieisha Bell, Jasmine
Polhill, Breuana
Pickney, Samira
Williams, Quamar
Dortch, Jonnielle
Bullard, Tierrah
Badger, Ronnie
West, Kimberly
Fluker, Jasmine
Harris, Deante
Williams, Jasmine
Field, Aisha Smith,
Tiffany Rush



Brotherhood

Eric Smith, Brian Latham,
Jamiek Foster



Poetry Club

Sharmayne Fontaine,
Alisha Rogers,
Nikita Duncan,
Chavaughn Oneal,
Dominick Brown,
Melisa Singh,
Khadijah Brown,
Elysee Thomas,
Tiara Montgomery



Each One Teach One

Naomi Adjei,
Beatrice Torto,
Rhodaine Wright,
Barbara Crentsil,
Keayanah Davis

Robotics Team

Charlston Manning, Khadijah
Brown, Kanisha Jackson,
Dominick Brown, Terrance
Bailey, Denzell Foster,
Dajaughn Quittley, Terrell
Hearns, James Harris



...Tradition

Community Service Corps

Barbara Crentsil, Keayanah Davis, Shameer Falard, Takiyah Jones, William Johnson, Lanisha Gordon, Ajaa Jones, Rhodaine Wright, Naomi Adjei, Beatrice Torto, J. Johnson, A. Davis,



Close-Up Club/Computer Club



Rhodaine Wright, Naomi Adjei, leisha Bell, Jasmine Eargle, Christon Cheatham, Chavaughn Oneal

Chess Team

Advisor, Mr Bhuta, Antwan Cooper, Kelvin Brown, Tahir Thompson,



Pathways To College

Nanae Williams,
Sharmayne Fontaine,
Barbara Crentsil, Beatrice
Torto, Rafait Busari, Latisha
Prophet, Criston Cheatham,
Samira Campbell, Bayo
Ibrahima, James Harris.



Sigma Beta Club

Jhamil Ervin, Dominick
Brown, Cameron
Glenn, Samouri Clegg,
Emmanuel Alexander,
Charlston Manning,
Raymond Edmonds,
Moses Griffin, Sharif
Jones, Ereik Wilkerson,
Thomas Hayes, Stevon
Walker, Brian Latham,
Rashod Thompson



Senior Class Officers

Ieisha Bell, Latoya Wellons,
Christian Bridges, Quamar
Dortch **Advisers:** Ms.
Covington, Ms. Culp



Editors' Messages



To the Class of 2007:

I really enjoyed putting together the memories we created. 10 years from now when you open this book and look back on your four years at Weequahic, I hope you will be able to remember all of the good times we shared together. Congratulations and Good Luck to all of you in the future. I will never forget any of you.

*Co-editor of the 2007 Legend,
Kelsha A. Bridges*

To the class of 2007:

Putting together the pieces from the past year has been an experience. Just like our entire high school voyage, it has had it's ups and downs. In the end I wouldn't change anything about it. I ask everyone years from now, that has shared in this entire experience, to think back and remember why it is "So hard to be an Indian."

Co-editor of the 2007 Legend,

Clarissa Hayer



Special Thanks to:

Mekka Brooks, Jasmine Polhill, Jasmine Banks, Jahad Hampton, Jasmine Smith, Royshonda Brinson, Ms. Riley, Mr. Jackson, Ms. Covington, Ms. Culp and Ieisha Bell for your contributions.

The Yearbook Committee

In February 2006, my counselor, Ms. Bogan gave me the application for the NAACP ACT-SO Competition which I completed and submitted. I chose to compete in the areas of Mathematics and Biology. After working intensely with Ms. Tamarkin (Math Teacher) and Ms. Lorquet (Biology Teacher), I went ahead to compete on the state level at Arts High School on April 1, 2006 with my projects: "Math Genius-Magic Numbers" and "Movement of Molecules." I won a gold medal in both categories and had to prepare to compete on the national level.

I traveled to Washington, D.C. with the other state champions and we stayed at the Hyatt Hotel from July 16-20, 2006. I was not able to compete in Biology, but I did in Mathematics and again I won a gold medal, \$2000, and a laptop. Indeed, it feels good to be a National Mathematics Champion.

You know me, my friends. I was so very happy to receive an award in my new country. I was doubly happy to receive it from such an influential organization as the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.



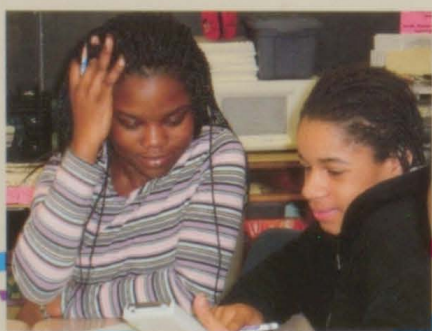
Naomi Naa-Adjeley Adjei
Class of 2007

National Honors Society



Members of the National Honors Society

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Mikaelia Cook, Mysia Patterson,
Tashanna Pickens, Rhodaine Wright,
Clarissa Hayer, Jasmine Polhill, Ieisha
Bell, Keisha Bridges, Quamar Dortch,
Shirlnika Salley, Jasmine Banks, and
Naomi Adjei*



Leadership

"The key to successful leadership today is influence, not authority."

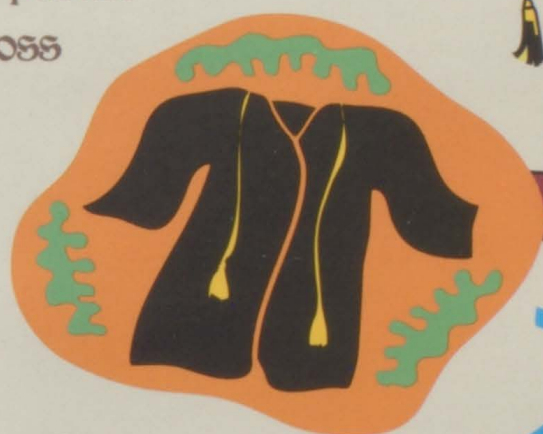
- Kenneth Blanchard



Service

We are always reminded to give back to the community and this is an aspect taken seriously by the scholars in this prestigious society. This year we tutored the football players and the 7th and 8th graders at Hawthorne Avenue School in

Mathematics and Language Arts Literacy. We also participated in the "Read Across America" event.



Scholarship

"True scholarship consists in knowing not what things exist, but what they mean; it is not memory but judgement."

- James Russell Lowell



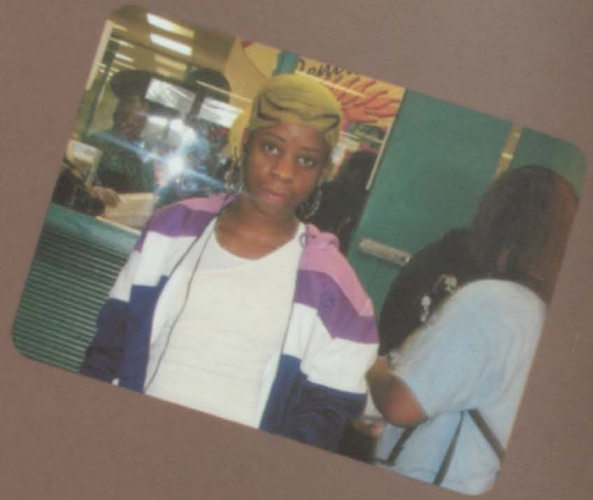
Academics

Well that's what we do best and that's why we are privileged to be in this society. Excelling in academics is a great achievement that we are all proud of.



Senior

Spirit



Week!

...Seeing Stars!



Mariah Carey



Ashanti & Monica



Remy Martin



Alicia Keys & Ciara



Chris Brown

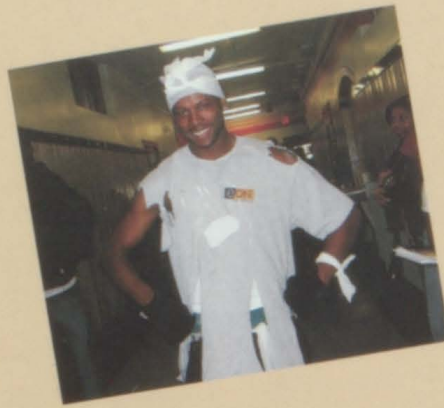


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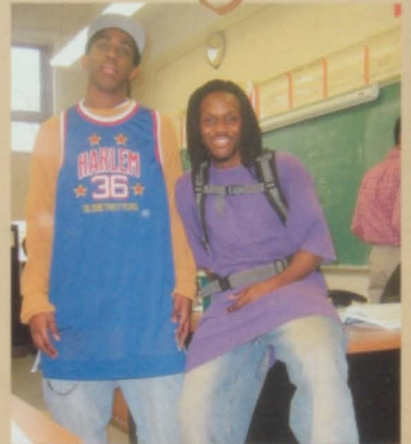
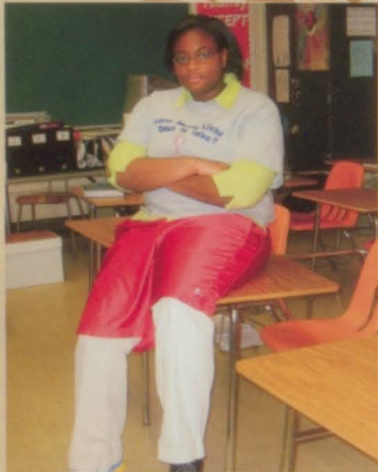
...Seeing Double



Bum & Crazy Hair Day



Mixed Match Day



Pajama Day



...Getting Sleepy



< Some People
Even Sleep In Their
Clothes!

To the Class of 2007:

Mother to Son

by Langston Hughes

Well, son, I'll tell you:
Life for me ain't been no crystal stair.
It's had tacks in it,
And splinters,
And boards all torn up,
And places with no carpet on the floor--

Bare
But all the time
I've been a-climbin' on,
And reachin' landin's,
And turnin' corners,
And sometimes goin' in the dark
Where there ain't been no light.
So boy, don't you turn back.
Don't you set down on the steps
'Cause you finds it's kinder hard.
Don't you fall now--
For I've still goin', honey,
I've still climbin'
And Life for me ain't been no crystal stair.



When reading this poem we thought of **you** "our babies" the **Class of 2007**.
It is our hope, our wish, that you know that life is not a "crystal stair" and you will stumble.
You will encounter problems just as those who have come before you have experienced. The "Tacks," "splinters," and "boards torn up" so eloquently described in the poem above may hinder you from reaching your goals. However, the issue at hand will be how **"you"** will handle these obstacles set before you. During this time look not at your imperfections but your possibilities--- Not at your past but your future--- Not at your failures but your successes.

You and only you will decide what steps are appropriate and what landings you may decide to stop on to reflect, to take a look around, to decide what your next step will be.

Whatever the case, realize your dream and use your passion as stimulation. Let your obstacles be your stepping stones. Continue to climb the "Stairs to Success."

Our heartfelt love,

Ms. Covington and Ms. Culp
Senior Class Advisors

Senior Class President



To the Class of '07',
Congratulations,

We made it this far and now we will be starting a new beginning. Being at Weequahic has been a learning experience. We've had good times and bad times. we are now saying farwell. I hope you all become successful and make a difference in the world. Our task is to reach high and to keep faith, while we aspire to transcend our fondest hopes.

Congratulations
and farwell,
leisha Bell

Top Scholars

Valedictorian

Naomi Adjei

College: Cornell University

Major: Molecular Biology / Pre-med

"My thirst for academic excellence, and my hard working, determined, perseverant, and disciplined personality helped me to be a scholar."

"It feels overwhelming and I feel I am a step closer to becoming that woman of distinction I have always longed to be."



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Clarissa Hayer

College: Undecided

Major: Nursing

"I became a scholar through hard work and dedication."

"To know that my hard work has paid off is a fantastic feeling."

Laquanna Brown

College: Undecided

Major: Psychology

"I became a scholar by coming to school on time and almost everyday. When in school I applied myself and tried my best to do well. Although I struggled with peer pressure I overcame my struggle and managed to still become a scholar."

"It feels good to know that I am a scholar. I think it is a wonderful feeling to know that I have acquired the one thing that can't be taken away from me. That one thing is knowledge."



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Mysia Patterson

College: William Paterson University

Major: Undecided (pursuing their nursing program)

"I became a scholar by my determination, discipline and decisions (my choices and priorities)"

"I feel that with my will I can conquer any obstacles."

Keisha Bridges

College: Seton Hall University

Major: Pre-Med / Biology

"I worked hard and did my best in school."

"Being at the top of my class is a wonderful feeling because I know that all of my hard work paid off and that I can accomplish any goal I set my mind to."



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Top Scholars

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Lachelle Adams

College: Hampton University

Major: Criminal Justice

"I became a scholar through discipline, establishing study habits, and staying focused."

"It makes me believe hardwork pays off and every goal is obtainable."

Aliyah Wood

College: Undecided

Major: Nursing

"I believe that I became a scholar because of my G.P.A. and I'm in the top 10 of my class."

"I feel that being a scholar is a great opportunity because I worked really hard to get where I am."



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Mikaelia Cook

College: Berkeley College

Major: Business Management/ Administration

"I became a scholar through determination and preparation."

"It feels great to be at the top."

Chavaughn O'neal

College: Seton Hall University

Major: Accounting

"Throughout my years in high school, I used the time in school productively. I took in as much education as possible. I used it to my advantage and it shows in my grades."

"It feels wonderful because I feel that I deserve it. I truly worked hard, and to see that it all paid off is a blessing to me."



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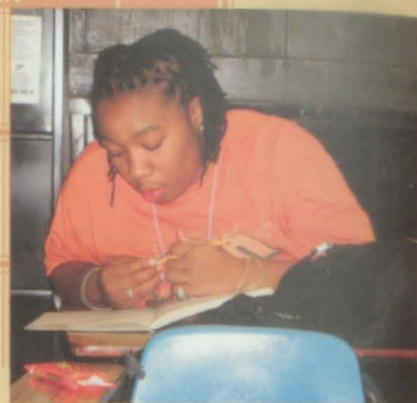
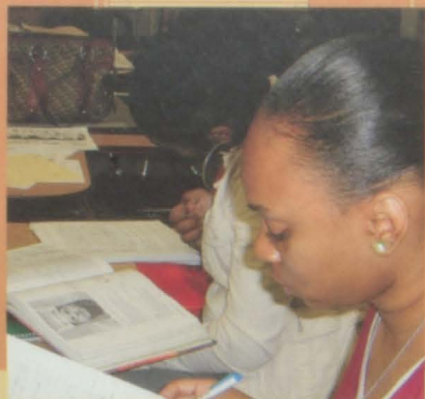
Antwanette Walker

College: Ramapo College or Bloomfield College

Major: Nursing

"I went to class and did my work."

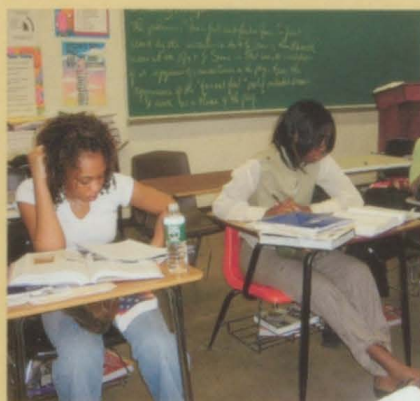
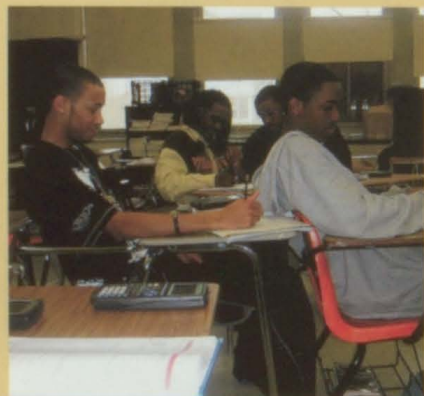
"It feel great to be a scholar."



Advanced Placement Courses

"Having Mr. Cherian as an AP Calculus teacher opened my eyes to know that math doesn't stop at just algebra 2. I feel that this class has prepared me for the real world. Thank You Mr. Cherian for pushing me to work to my ability."

- Mikaelia Cook



"Being in this AP Calculus class wasn't what I expected it to be and I somewhat didn't want to be in here. I learned that I can't give up on myself when I am faced with a tough challenge. This class was very hard, but I enjoyed it."

- Brittany James

"This class was really challenging, but I enjoyed it. It is a step towards my goal of becoming a doctor. I have always loved math. The fact that I was able to figure out the answers to tough questions makes me love it even more!"

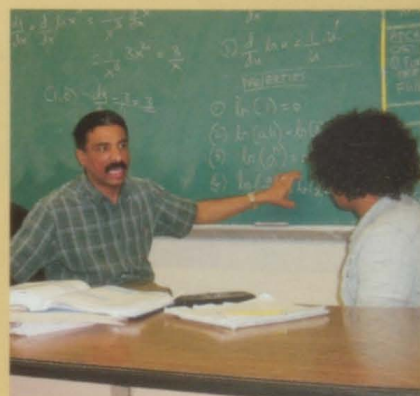
- Keisha Bridges

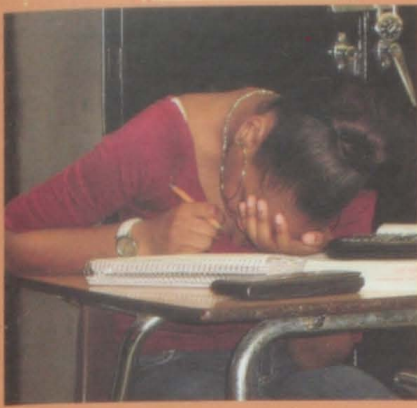
"History really repeats itself, so learning more about it helps me determine my future."

-Shirlnika Salley

"I love this class (AP English), because it challenges me and I feel that it is not just a fly by class. It is a class where I actually learn."

- Chavaughn Oneal





"AP English has been an adventure for me. Taking this college preparation course has motivated me to better myself, look forward to a college education and has enhanced my social abilities."

Fatia Watson



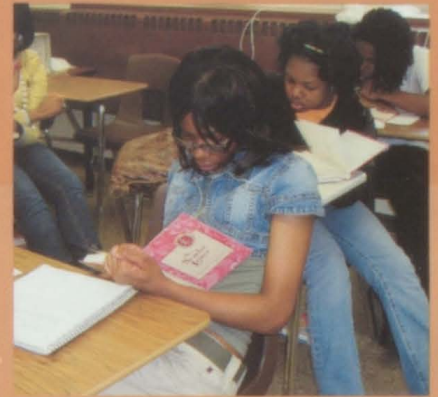
"By being in AP History, I learned a lot. Most of the things that were taught in this class were interesting to me."

-Ashley Stith



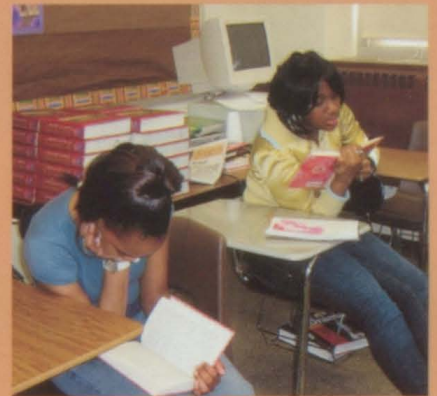
"By being in AP History, I learned so much about history that I never knew before. The AP History class really opened my eyes."

Jeisha Bell



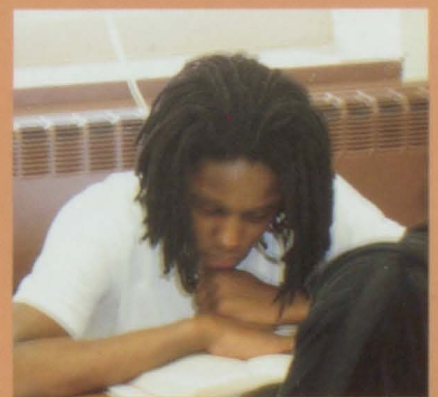
"AP English is a challenge that makes you push yourself over your limit. You must do your best in order to complete this challenge."

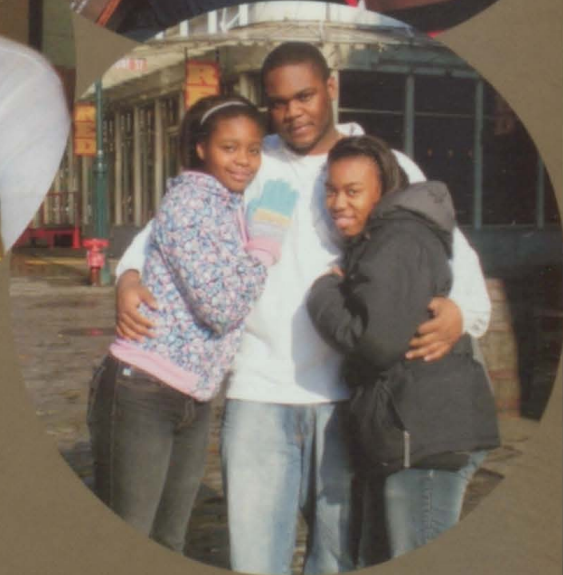
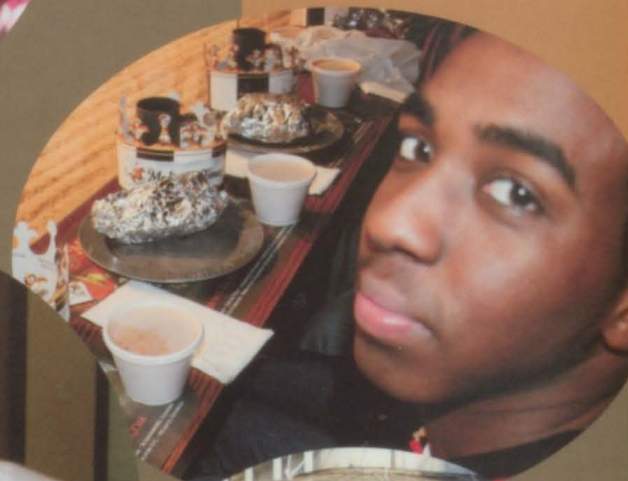
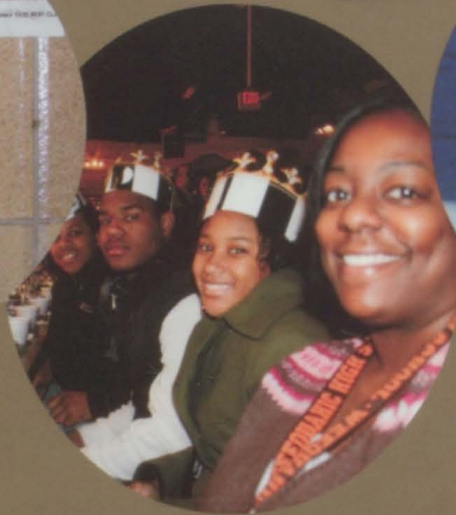
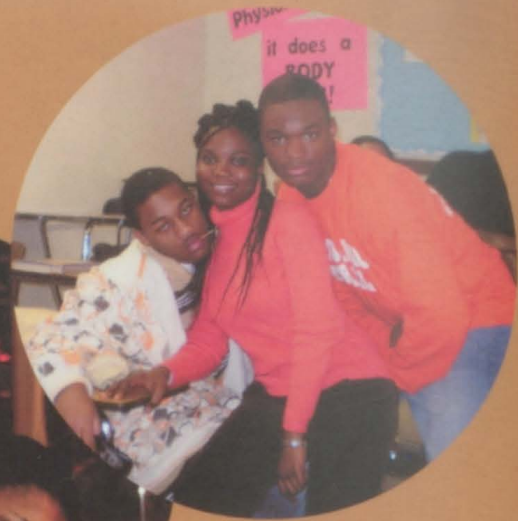
Moses Griffin



"Being in AP is a really good experience. I enjoy the class and the teacher is really good."

- Ahmed Evans



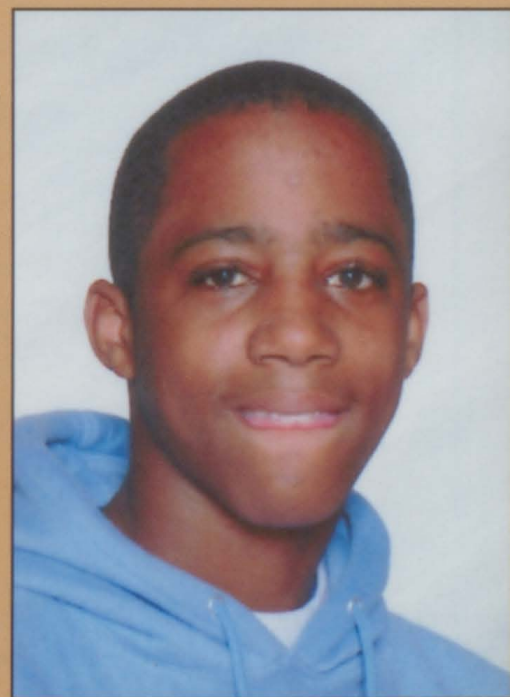




In Loving Memory Of Craig Harris

Feel no guilt in laughter, I know how much
you care,
Feel no sorrow in a smile, I'm not here
to share,
You cannot grieve forever, I would not
want you to,
I hope that you will carry on, The way you
always do.
So talk about the good times, and the
ways you showed you cared,
The days we spent together, All the hap-
piness we shared.

Let memories surround you, A word
someone may say,
Will suddenly recapture, A time, An hour,
A day,
That brings me back to you so clearly, As
though I were still here,
And fills you with all the feelings, That I
am always near,
For if you keep those moments, we will
never be apart,
And I will live forever, Locked safe within
your heart.



- Unknown



Janay Davis

Congratulations to you on such an important occasion! I've watched you blossom from my baby niece to my niece, the amazing young woman. You are truly a treasure to me and I wish and pray for you nothing but the best in all of your ventures. God will always bless you and smile upon you as you truly deserve.

Love always,
Auntie Valerie

I'm very proud of the young lady you've grown to be. I hope you achieve your dream of being a dentist. We all love you much.

Love,
Auntie Tee

Charlie Mike (continue mission) press on towards your goal.

Love,
Auntie Cupcake

Stormy Weather... you have weathered the storm congratulations.

Love,
Auntie Christine

Congratulations Buttercup... I'm so proud. Keep making auntie proud.

Love,
Auntie Erica

Great job. Keep up the good work in college. We love you and god bless you.

Love,
Uncle Bam & Auntie Shareeya

Keep your eye on the prize, hold on. Don't forget, when you make it reach back to pull someone else up.

Love,
Honeybee

Wassup Janay. I love you so much. I'm so proud of you. Hopefully you can come to Cali and hang with your auntie for a bit. Many big hugs and blessings to you.

Love,
Auntie Sy



Justin Humphrey

This is the time we all dreamed of
Having you make the step
Everyone knew you would succeed, boy but did we sweat.

Being encouraged, loved and guided through the years
Into a world so big, and stronger than you know
Guiding you forward, while others tried to hold you back but I kept my
faith in you.

By now anxiety is setting in, stronger than ever
One day leading to another, so many questions with no answers
So many emotions coming into play which way grandson, which
way do you go?
Sit and talk with the man above. He'll fail you never.

More than wishing you the best, and prosperity in life
Always remember who you are, and how you have come to be
Never forgetting life long friends, and of course your family.



In Memory of
Grandma Mommy
1916-2003

Justin Humphrey

My son on Graduation Day,

This is for my precious son,
through the years and all the
tears, we are very proud of you.
You achieved a lot of success
and all your goals of elementary
school and now high school.
You did well and showed them
all you could succeed with high
hopes and plans a new.



The future has a lot to offer that's true.
Be wise, be glad, be happy, show others by
your example. The time for you to become
a man is near. Where did that little boy go?
That's Ok because I know we gave you
roots to grow. WOW, we gave you wings to
soar.

Go on, be well, do great things and more
success will follow all of your heart's
desire for sure.

Love Always,
Mommy



May your life be as beautiful
as all the photographs I have of
you: starting from about year
one to the current one which is
about as handsome as any one
would desire to be. All my
love and the very best to you
in all your endeavors.

Auntie Liz

Justin Humphrey

To: Justin A-K-A Mr. Sexy Man
Stay positive and focused.
Make your mother
proud. The best of luck
to you.

Stephanie & Ti'ara





Clarissa Hayer

You've come a long way baby.
The best is yet to come. We are
all very proud of you and thank-
ful for you. You will always be
the sunshine of our lives.

Love,
Your Family



Keisha Bridges

Congratulations,
We are very proud
of you, Remember
you can do anything
you set your mind to. The sky is
your limit. Be in control of your
own destiny; do not let anyone
make choices for you. Be respon-
sible for the choices you make and
think before you do. We love you.

Love,
Mom and Dad



Christian Bridges

*Congratulations,
We are very proud of you. Please
remember, obstacles may come your
way, but if you keep your head up and
stay strong, you can overcome any
thing. We love you and wish you
nothing but the best in this next
chapter of your
life.*

*Love,
Dad and Mom*

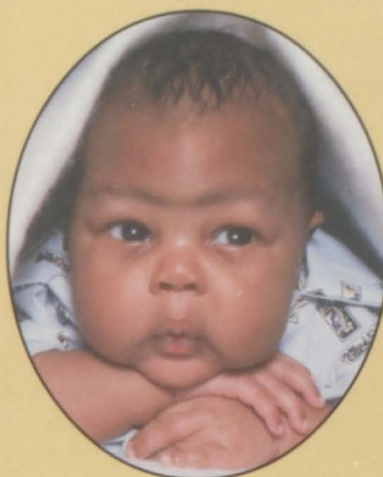


Abdul Kariym Conover

*Graduations are like stepping through
A veil into another, larger room.
Behind, where you can never go again.
Are memories like a shipwreck full of gold.*

*Strange are the harmonies of pride and sadness.
The dawn and sunset of the new and old.
The bittersweet good-byes while looking forward
To things unseen beyond the ridge of time.*

*Kariym, congratulations again from all your family
And friends! We are proud of you.
And once the ceremonies and the parties
Are over, and the sweet days come and go.
We all will be standing behind you as you make
That trip to college. And you will make that trip,
no matter what statistics may say. Because you are a product
From the Conover, Gaston, Marlow, Carey, and Washington Families
We LOVE You!*



Marquis Arrington

"I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD," plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."

Jeremiah 29:11

Love you forever and a day,
Auntie Sheila



Naomi Adjei

Our darling granddaughter & niece:
Congratulations! You did it! We are so very proud of you and trust that you will continue your success throughout your life with God at the head and beside you.
We love you very much and look forward to your loving, care and kindness "Dr. Adjei." Reach for the heavens and you'll never miss the stars.

Love you dearly,
Grandma "Buddha" and
Auntie Faith L.



Marquis Arrington

Marquis(Moo Moo),
job well done, you've
made us proud!



Love Mommy



Naomi Adjei

I wish you the very best of luck and God's guidance as you pursue your academic endeavours. The stars are getting higher, so are your expectation. I therefore urge you not to rest on your oars. Remain the proud girl you have always been and success will definitely be yours.

Mustafa

Justin Humphrey

Congratulations Justin, we knew you could do it. Stay positive and continue to have faith.

Much Love,
Aunt Donna and Cousin Dana

Justin Humphrey

**Congratulations,
God-Son!!! Good looks got
me far, let's see
what you do.
I love you...**



Justin Humphrey

Dearest Jus,

Congratulations on reaching a new chapter in your life. I am so proud of you and all of your accomplishments. Life brings so many wonderful things and sometimes unexpected changes. Thanks for being able to understand and adapt. All things happen for a reason and can work together for good. I have enjoyed watching you grow and develop into an inquisitive teen and I look forward to the years ahead.

Love Always
Nadirah

Justin Humphrey

We have been through a lot together! Lil' Brother, I cannot believe that you are a Senior in HIGH SCHOOL! I remember the days when you were obsessed with wrestling, and now you are indeed a young man ready to embark on a new journey. Not only have you matured greatly, I know you will do well in your endeavours. I love you and wish you well in your future.



Luv Your BIG Sister Bre'

Justin Humphrey

I prayed and cried, Lord please let my child graduate.

Let him see the light, so he can do what is right

Over and over he assures me, "Grandma you'll be there on graduation night. "I got this."

Values we have instilled in him, but he loves to have fun

Every day he gives me another challenge, but that's my grandson.

You talk and talk but did he really hear.

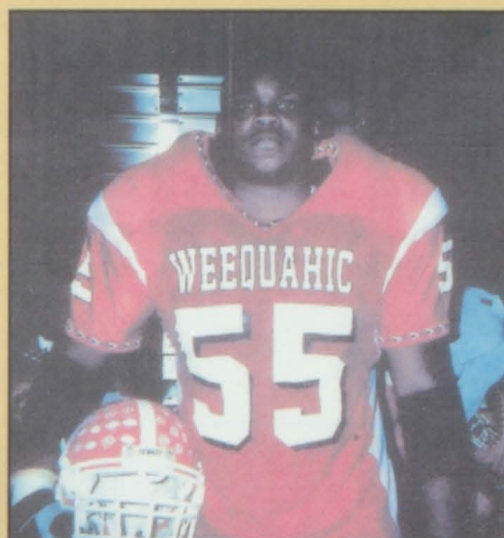
Only words he say to me is "Grandma I got this."

Up to now, I'm still so proud, and hopes that grandma I got this, turns into, "Grandma you got your wish."

Love,

Grandma Grey





Dominick Brown

Have fun but not too much without me and be great. Also, keep in contact. See you later.

Your cousin BJ

We have been so blessed to see you grow from the infant to the little boy; and now to the smart, handsome, respectful and morally sound young man you are today. With great pleasure we wish you the best as you move on to higher education, life planning and quest for success.

We look forward to watching you march with your High School Class of 2007 and ultimately with your University Colleagues.

Love,
Mom, Aunt Rosezel and Krystal

David Brinkley, Television Journalist, once said, "A successful man is one who can lay a firm foundation with the bricks others have thrown at him."

With that being said, apply the lessons you've learned as a member of this family to your life and watch the blessings abound. Be kind, selfless, and God fearing.

Love Aunt Rafika and Uncle Congo

Janay Davis

As a little girl when you were suppose to spend the night at my house. You would always leave saying you had homework to do (but you were only in daycare). Now that doing your homework has said off congratulations. I love you. Much success to you.

Love

Auntie Josette & Uncle Dennis

Justin Humphrey

May you always remember your Graduation Day with happiness and pride, knowing that your feelings are shared by those who love you and wish you life's best for the beginning of the next chapter of your life. congratulations!

Love,

Tahmia, Aalia & Al

Janay Davis

You have grown into a beautiful young lady. You've never let anyone determine who you would be or what you should do. Continue that... stay focused as you move into your next level of education. Never forget no matter what, we have your back. Congratulations and much success to you.

Love,

Mom and Dad



Justin Humphrey

Continue to make us proud and know that we love you.

Love,

Mari, Leah, Antonio,

Aunt Lydia and

Uncle "Chucky" Bilal

Justin Humphrey

Congratulations on your Graduation Justin. Trust in The Lord and he will give you the desires of your heart. We love you and are very proud of you. Make us Humphrey's proud.

Love Auntie Mildred and cousins Noelle, Monica & D'Andre

Justin Humphrey

Congratulations Justin,

The day you graduate is a most special day

The end of one journey taken by you

And the start of a new journey where dreams may come true. May your path always be bright, and may you have success in all that you do.

Much Love,

Aunt Janet, Uncle Steve, cousins

David & Kia

Justin Humphrey

I hope you have continued success in all that you do.

Luv,

Wadie

Justin Humphrey

Here we go.

I am extremely proud of all that you have accomplished. Remember as this door closes and the next door opens, you can do whatever you want. You have the talent and all you have to do to find it is look in the mirror. Lots of love goes out to you and we believe in you.

The Mayo's

Hazul Stuckey



aka Hazzzy
Hazu'l, you are the
child of the most
highest God.
You can do all the
things through

Christ, who strengthens you. Stay
in peace with yourself and you
will succeed.

Love always,
Mommy, the Wade
family and the
Stuckey Family.



Shantel Robinson

She is a nice, kind and sweet person
and I wish her all the luck and hope
that she is very success-
ful in life.

Love Always,
Your mother and
family



Naomi Adjei

If you can imagine it, you can
achieve it. If you can dream it,
you can become it. That's the
child and sister you are. Don't
let fear contaminate your fate. We love you and
we are proud of you. Congratulations. Ayekool! Mo!
Love you lots
Mom and Jr. Sammy



Marquis Arrington

Follow your dreams and keep God in
your life. We love you and are very
proud of you.

Love,
Big Ma



Naomi Adjei

Thinking of you at this moment in your life
and wishing you success always. Con-
gratulations and good luck.

Love Always,
Dad



Marquis Arrington

I can recall when you were marching with the band, before you
could talk.
Not knowing then, that those steps would help you march into
a direction of focus and character.
As you continue on with your education.
Keep listening and marching to the beat
of your own drum.
For it is your heartbeat that keeps the
rhythm to which you strive to become.

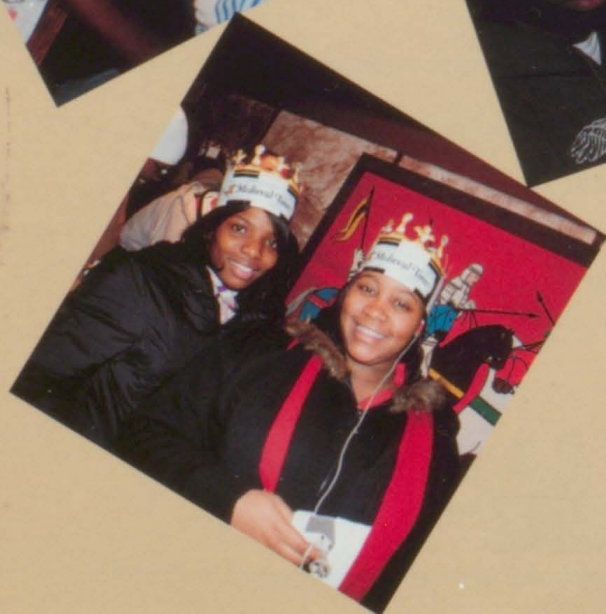
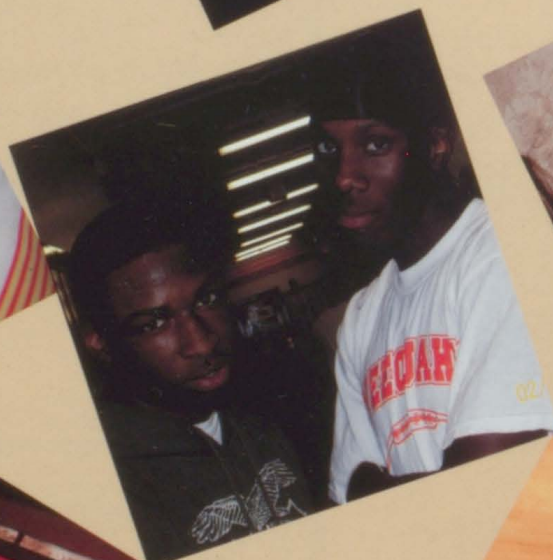
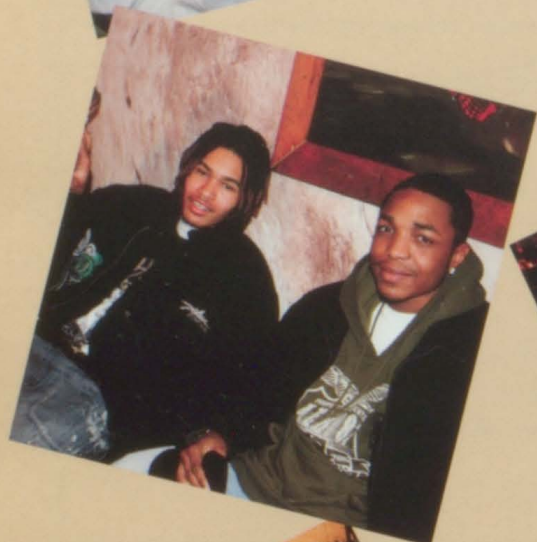
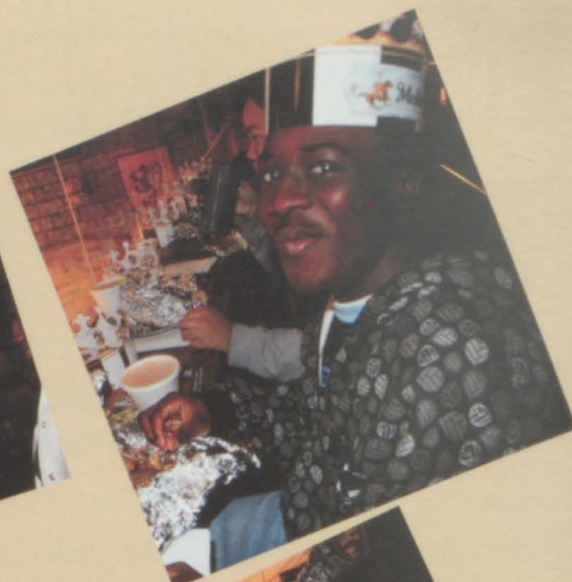
Love You Forever and a day
Uncle Phil, Auntie Rose and the brats.
Class of 1993



Congratulations to the class of 2007.
Kudos to a great yearbook staff:
Keisha Bridges, Clarissa Hayer, Naomi
Adjei and Janay Davis. Thanks for a job
well done.



Ms. Findley



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{World Beat}



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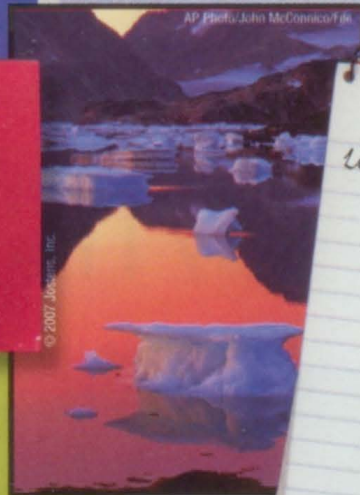


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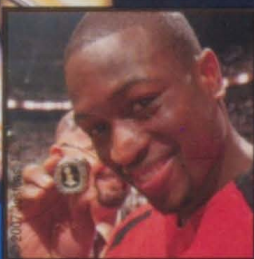
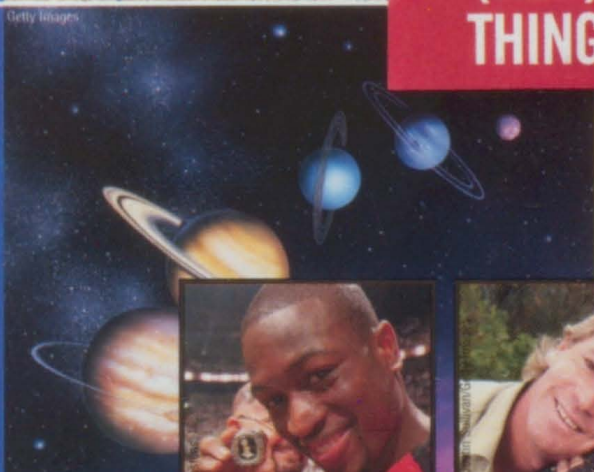


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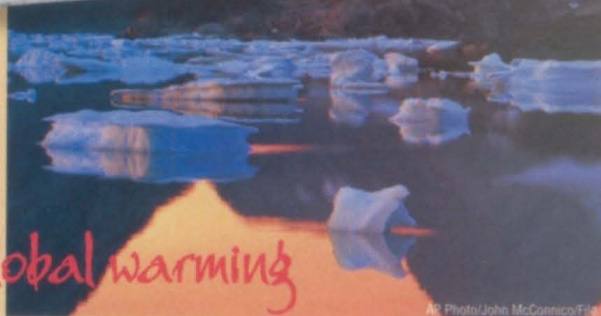


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- ▲ In his 2007 State of the Union address, President George W. Bush reiterates his commitment to the war in Iraq and proposes sending additional troops overseas.

- ▶ With the rapid melting of polar ice caps, a season of alarming tropical storms and record-breaking heat waves, global warming becomes a present-day global emergency.

Global warming



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- ▶ Thanks to the efforts of groups like Rock the Vote, young American voters turn out in record numbers for the 2006 elections.

Voter turnout



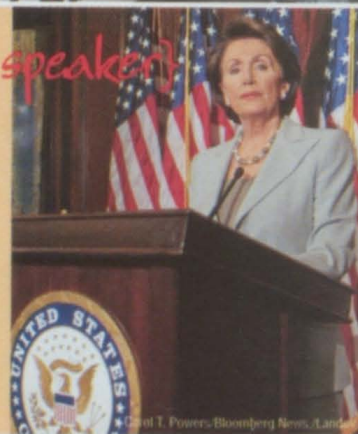
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- ▲ The Internet search giant Google pays \$1.65 billion for the wildly popular YouTube video-sharing service.

{Madam speaker}

- ▶ Nancy Pelosi is named the speaker of the House for the 110th Congress, becoming the highest-ranking female in the history of the federal government.



Carol T. Powers/Bloomberg News/And

{Fifth 9/11 anniversary}



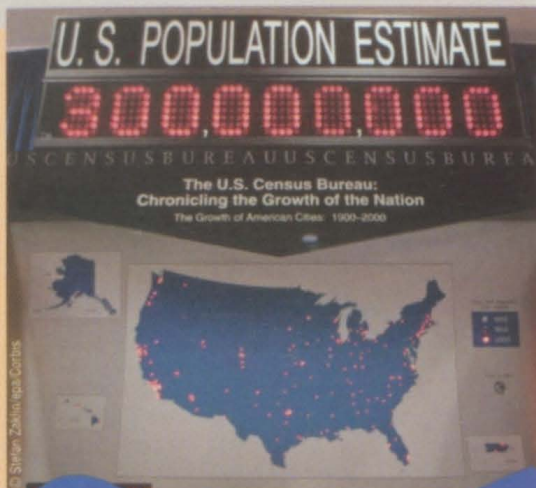
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- ◀ On the fifth anniversary of 9/11, civic leaders and mourners gather to commemorate the occasion with solemn ceremonies and moments of silence.

- ▶ British authorities foil a terrorist plot to blow up planes headed to the U.S. from the U.K., resulting in airline restrictions on liquids, aerosols and gels.

Airline restrictions





- On October 17, the U.S. population passes the 300 million mark according to the Census Bureau's official Population Clock.

National growth

(PRODUCT) RED

(RED) brands in 2006

American Express

Apple

Converse

Emporio Armani

Gap

Motorola



- In an effort to curb illegal immigration, the Senate passes legislation authorizing the construction of 700 miles of double-layered fencing on the U.S.-Mexico border.

- Bobby Shriver and U2's Bono launch the stylish (PRODUCT) RED initiative to raise money for The Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria in Africa.



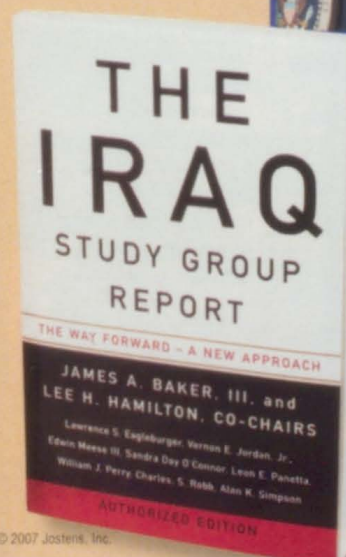
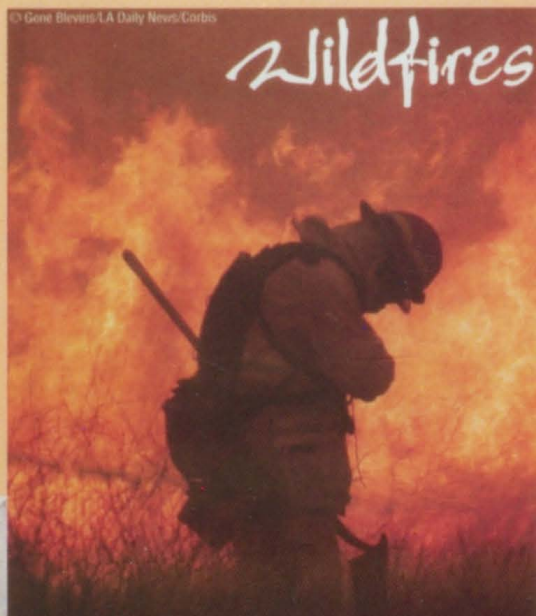
- Spinach tainted with E. coli bacteria kills one consumer and sickens almost 100 more in 19 states, leading to calls for improved food safety practices.

President Gerald R. Ford

- Gerald R. Ford, 38th president of the United States, dies at age 93. Ford was appointed vice president by Richard Nixon in 1973 and succeeded to the presidency after Nixon's resignation.



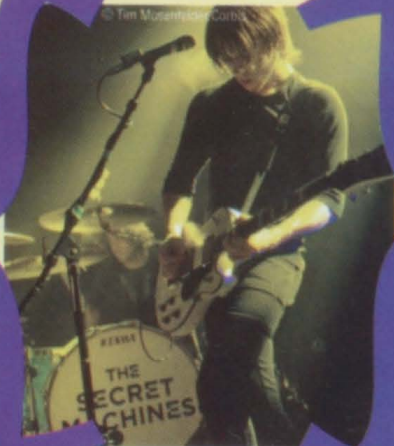
- More than 95,000 fires during the 2006 wildfire season claim more than 9.5 million acres in the United States.



- The Iraq Study Group, a bipartisan panel appointed by Congress, releases a sharply critical report that calls for a new approach in Iraq.

Iraq report

{Global}



Mexico's new CEO

- ▶ Controversial conservative Felipe Calderón begins his six-year term as president of Mexico after winning by a narrow margin of only 0.56 percent.



- ▶ MySpace.com galvanizes celebrities and organizes more than 20 Rock for Darfur concerts to raise funds for what the U.N. calls "the world's greatest humanitarian crisis."

List of bands:

Switchfoot
Citizen Cope
Ziggy Marley
Teddy Geiger
Insane Clown Posse
Jars of Clay
Secret Machines
Alice in Chains
TN on the Radio
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Atreyu

Academy for girls

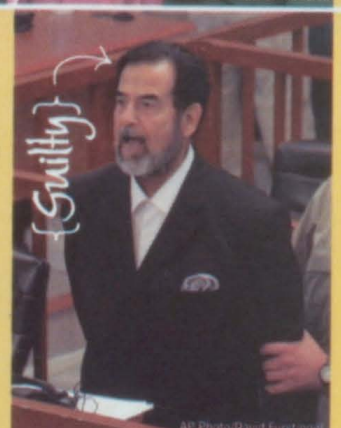
- ▶ Oprah Winfrey opens her \$40 million Leadership Academy for Girls in the deprived small town of Henley-on-Klip, south of Johannesburg, South Africa.



Russian spy



- ▶ Saddam Hussein is sentenced to death and executed by the Iraq Special Tribunal for the 1982 murder of 148 Shiite inhabitants of Dujail.
- ▶ Former KGB agent Alexander Litvinenko, an outspoken critic of Russian President Vladimir Putin, dies in London after being poisoned by radioactive polonium-210.



Nuclear weapons



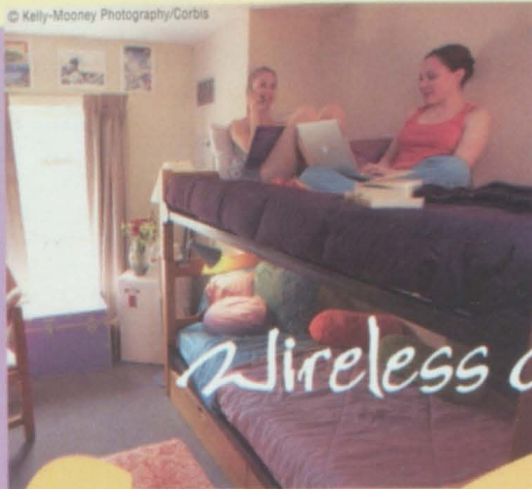
- ▶ Hezbollah, the Lebanon-based Islamic militia, attacks Israeli military positions and border villages, beginning a conflict that claims more than 1,400 lives, mostly civilians. U.N. peacekeepers are called in to broker a cease-fire.

- ▶ In October 2006, North Korean leader Kim Jong Il orders the country's first nuclear weapon test. During the Six-Party Talks in February 2007, North Korea agrees to a nuclear disarmament.

Hezbollah



{Sci-Tech}



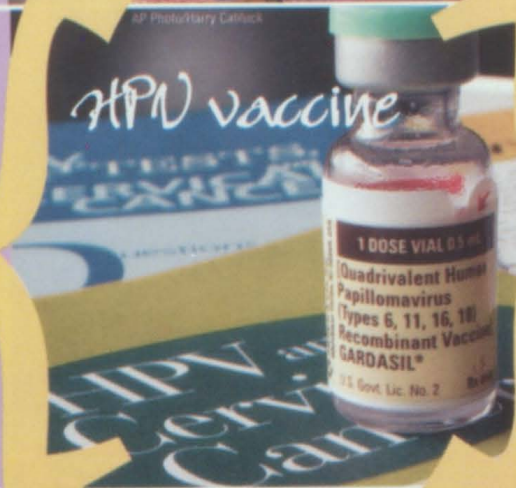
Wireless campuses

- Wireless campuses, and entire cities, are popping up across the country. Villanova University in Philadelphia, Pa., tops PC Magazine's list of the Top 20 Wired Colleges.



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- A handheld, portable electronic zit zapper called Zeno gets FDA approval. In a clinical trial, 90 percent of treated blemishes disappear or fade in 24 hours.

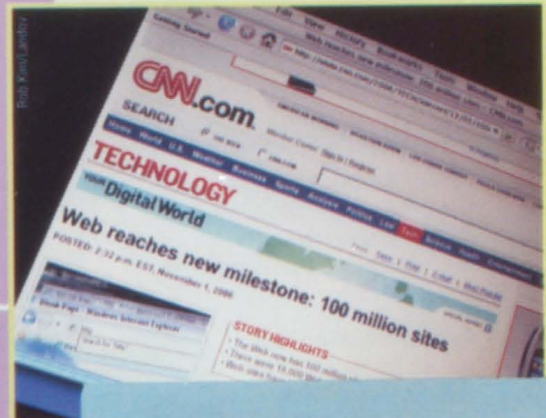


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HPV vaccine

- The FDA licenses the first vaccine developed to prevent cervical cancer and other diseases in girls and women caused by HPV, the human papilloma virus.

- The World Wide Web reaches a milestone when an Internet research survey reports that there are more than 100 million websites online.



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Zero gravity

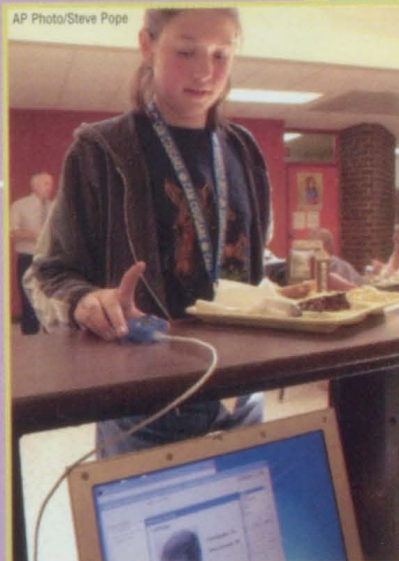
- A team of French doctors surgically removes a benign tumor on a patient in a specially adapted aircraft that mimics zero gravity conditions.



- After years of heated debate, astronomers decide to change the definition of a planet; Pluto no longer qualifies. Instead, it's reclassified as a dwarf planet.



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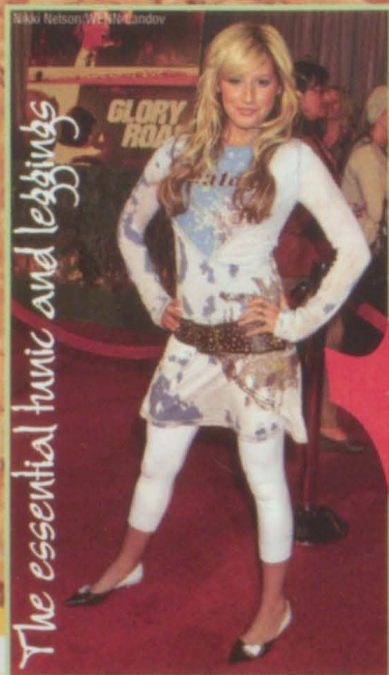
- School systems in several states install fingerprint-reading technology that gives students a cash-free way to pay for lunch.

Top 10 clothing websites:

1. ae.com
2. abercrombie.com
3. oldnavy.com
4. pacsun.com
5. urbanoutfitters.com
6. llbean.com
7. fashionmall.com
8. delias.com
9. gofane.com
10. forrid.com

Source: www.lovetoknow.com

{Trends}



► Mid-calf and ankle-length leggings, last seen in the trendy 1980s, return to the spotlight. Fashion-conscious girls wear them under minis, dresses and tunics.

► Pointy toes and high heels are out. The feminine, flirty ballerina flat goes with everything from short skirts to long leggings and super-skinny jeans.



Favorite brands:

{Diesel}

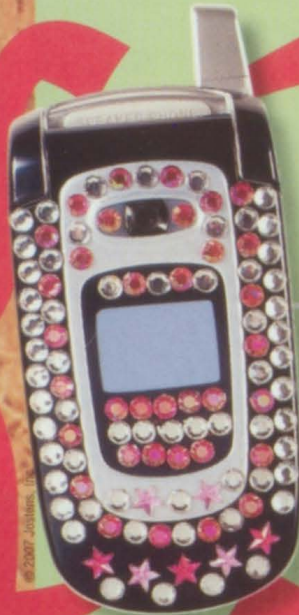
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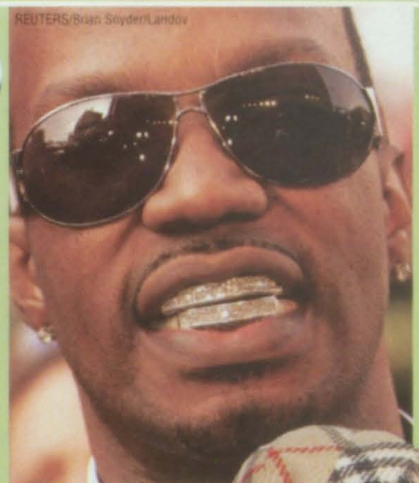
► Colorful comfortable crocs—made from a buoyant, lightweight, odor-resistant material that molds to the wearer's foot—are the shoe of the year.



► Couture designers like Dolce & Gabbana and luxury brands like Swarovski, the Swiss crystal maker, transform boring cell phones into the year's must-have bling.



Bling bling



► Rappper fashion comes to the suburbs as snap-on grills add a flash of diamonds and gold or platinum to your pearly whites.

► Tiny plaid mini skirts look private-school cool. Meanwhile, Marc Jacobs is sending plaid tops down the runway and fashion icons sport Burberry plaids.

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► Nearly 31 percent of teens, or 7.6 million, are consuming energy drinks that contain up to four times the amount of caffeine than is in a can of Coke.

► The year's to-die-for, must-have-at-any-price jeans are dark, slim, distressed denims from Diesel, the Italian label that inspires a cult-like devotion among its customers.



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{Go retro}

Teens are raiding their parents' closets, as well as retailers like Urban Outfitters and American Eagle, for vintage rock and pop culture T's.

Red is the color of the heart; 50 percent of Gap's PRODUCT (RED) profits go to the Global Fund to help fight AIDS in Africa.

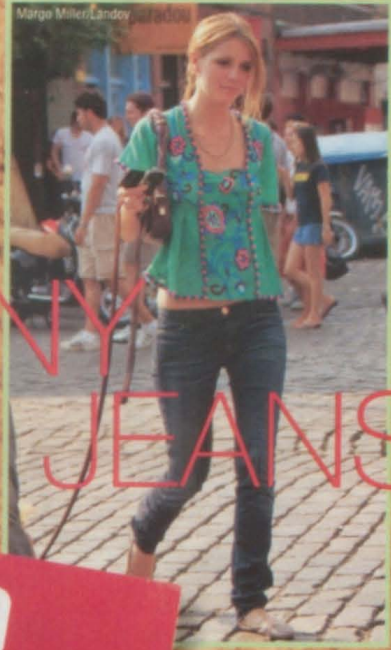
Chuck Taylor All Stars, the basketball sneakers first manufactured by Converse in 1917, are more popular than ever among male and female fashion mavens.

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THING

After several seasons of low-slung boot-cuts and bell-bottoms, designers on both sides of the Atlantic declare that super-skinny jeans are back in style.



Margo Miller/Landov

↪ A letter to myself...

Write yourself a letter about your life today that you can read in 10 years to see what has changed.

{Lifestyle}



- ▲ The Go Green Initiative reaches out to school campuses in all 50 states, as well as in Europe and Africa, to foster student commitment to environmental responsibility.

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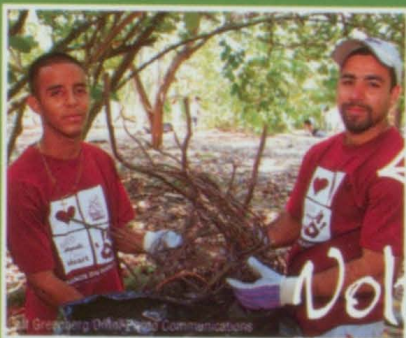
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- ▲ YouTube, the Web video powerhouse that made "macaca" a household word, is the media story of the year and a wildly popular form of home entertainment.



Volunteers!

- ▲ College students seek out volunteer opportunities in record numbers—on a local, national and international level—to build their skills and a better world.

- ▶ The rise in obesity among young people is linked to an increase in adolescent cases of type 2 "adult onset" diabetes and associated health problems.

Diabetes on the rise



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- ▶ Disney checks out business in the supermarket, licensing its brand name to a variety of health-conscious baked goods, produce, beverages, snacks and more.



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{Hearing loss}

- ▶ A marked increase in hearing loss among young people is attributed to the use of ear buds in popular MP3 players like the iPod.

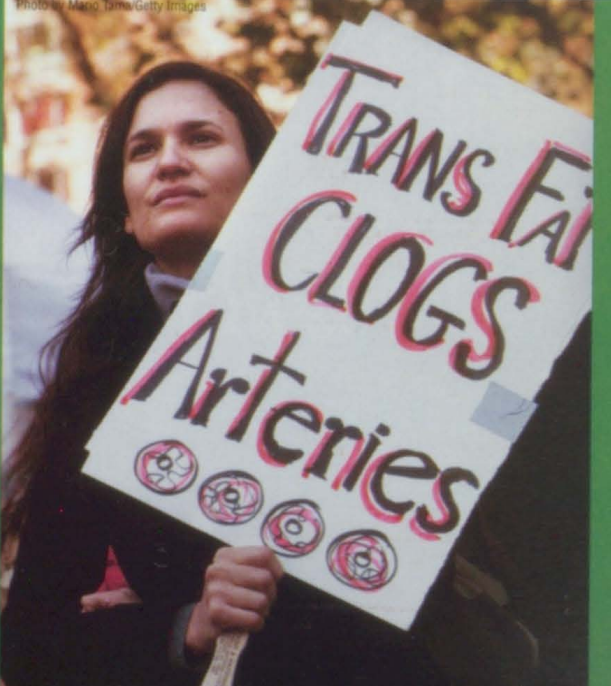


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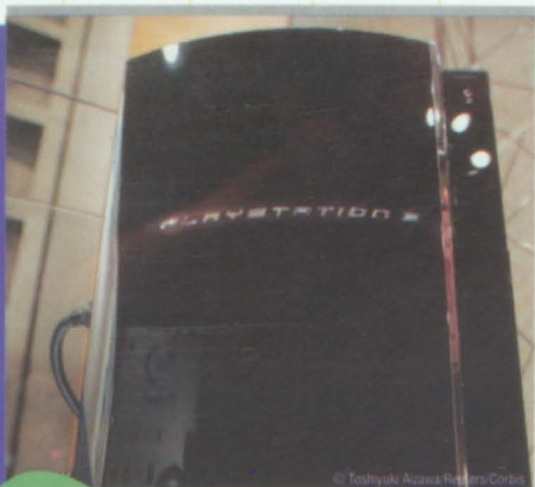
{Trans fats}

- ▶ The New York City Board of Health votes to ban all foods cooked in oil containing artery-clogging trans fats from New York City restaurants.

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{Entertainment}



◀ Sony releases its seventh generation PlayStation, known as "PS3." The basic console has a 20 GB hard drive; the premium version comes with 60 GB.

New game systems

My favorite video games:



◀ Nintendo releases Wii, its newest video game console, which features a wireless remote that can detect motion and rotation in three dimensions.

Nintendo Wii

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Y BREAK New episode available Thursday, Jan. PST	SIX DEGREES The four hour special episode available Thursday, Jan. PST	NINE New episode available Thursday, Jan. PST

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◀ The differences between your television and your computer continue to blur now that network TV programs are available online from services like abc.com.



{Popular games}

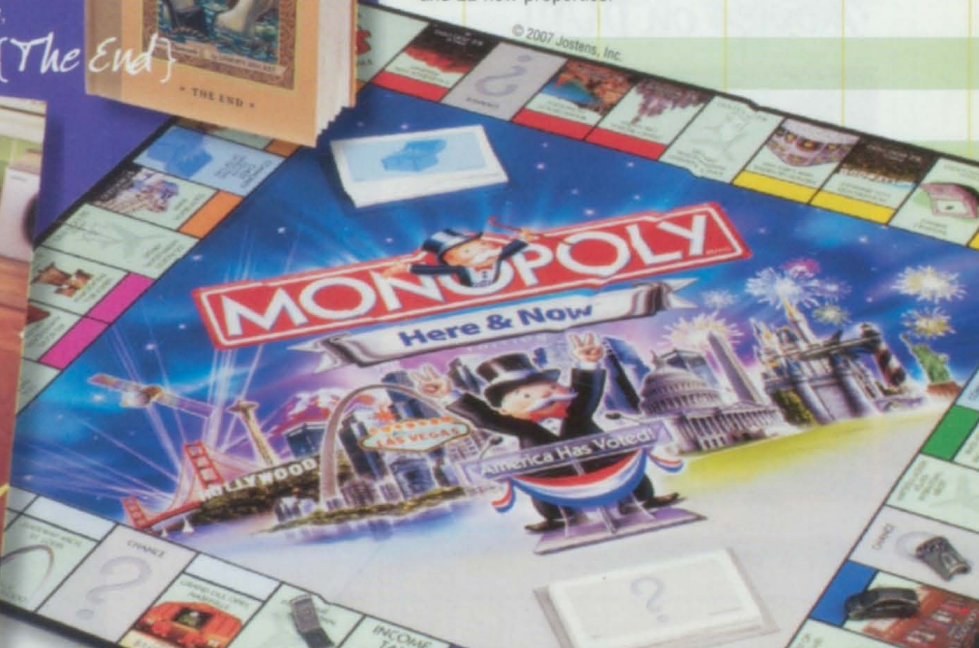
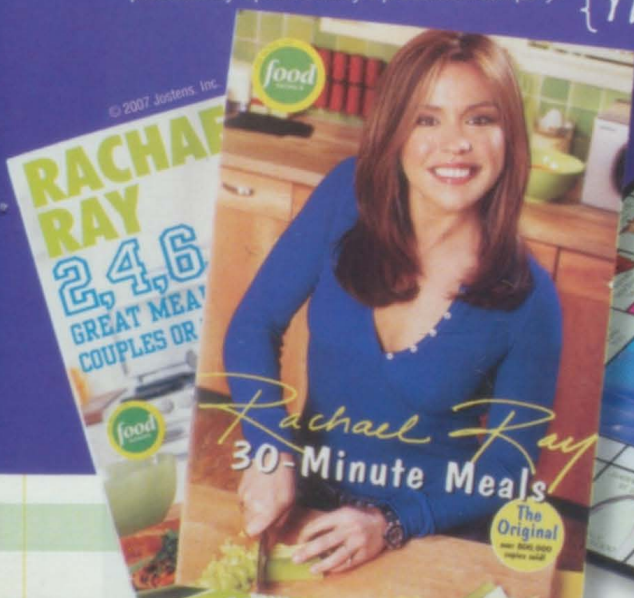
◀ The unfortunate adventures of the Baudelaire orphans come to an end with the publication of *The End* by Lemony Snicket.

▶ The classic board game, Monopoly, gets a 21st century makeover. The "Here & Now" edition features updated tokens, current market prices and 22 new properties.



{The End}

▶ Perky Food Network star and best-selling cookbook author Rachael Ray gets her own syndicated talk show, produced by Oprah Winfrey's production company.



{Movies}

Best Picture Oscar Nominations:



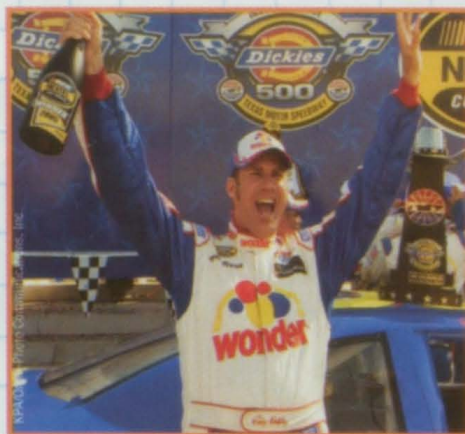
► There's a new Bond in town and the critics swoon along with the fans. Blonde, brooding Daniel Craig debuts as James Bond in *Casino Royale*.

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► Many movie lovers opt for DVD convenience, instead of lines at the local theaters, for hits like *Mission: Impossible III*, *Superman Returns*, and *The Devil Wears Prada*.

This year's {hit} Movies on DVD!



► SNL alumnus Will Ferrell stars as a goofy, "win-at-all-costs" NASCAR racing star in *Talladega Nights: the Ballad of Ricky Bobby*.

► Johnny Depp's Captain Jack Sparrow returns to the helm of the Flying Dutchman in the swashbuckling, supernatural sequel, *Pirates of the Caribbean: Dead Man's Chest*.

► A family of squabbling misfits drives a wheezing VW van to a beauty pageant meltdown in the hit movie comedy, *Little Miss Sunshine*.

Little Miss Sunshine

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► Will Smith stars with his son Jaden in *The Pursuit of Happyness*, based on a true story about a struggling single dad.

The Pursuit of Happyness

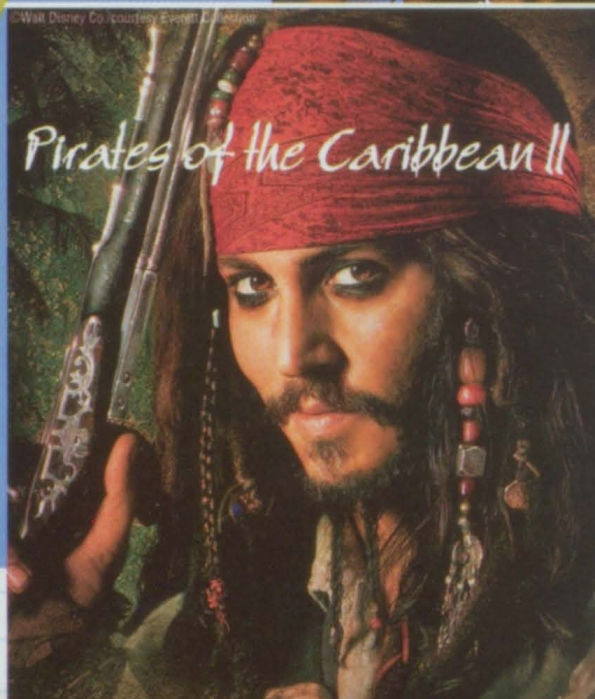


{Dreamgirls}

► Newcomer and former *American Idol* contestant Jennifer Hudson wins the Golden Globe for Best Actress in a Comedy or Musical for her performance in *Dreamgirls*.



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▶ NBC's game show *Deal or No Deal* is a worldwide phenomenon, with more than 40 versions airing in countries around the world.

Deal or No Deal

{Television}

My favorite shows:

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- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

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Ugly Betty

▶ The American version of *Ugly Betty*, an ABC show based on the Colombian hit *Yo Soy Betty La Fea*, follows the daily struggles of a fashion-challenged employee of a fashion magazine.

▶ Fox's suspenseful television drama *24* is named Outstanding Drama Series at the 58th annual Emmy Awards after five nominations in the category.



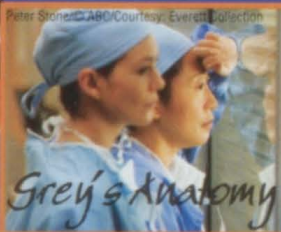
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The Office

▶ NBC's *The Office*, starring Steve Carell, wins an Outstanding Comedy Series Emmy and becomes as successful as the original British sitcom.

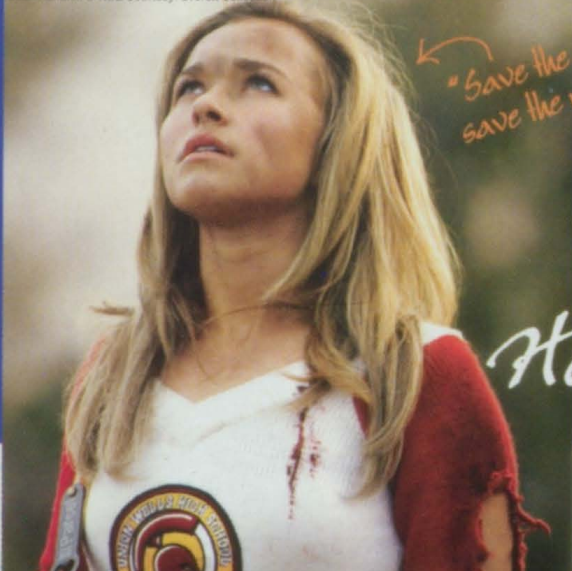
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Grey's Anatomy

▶ Once *Grey's Anatomy* was just a reference book for medical students. Now it's the name of ABC's Emmy Award-winning drama featuring the dreamiest doctors on television.

Dean Handler ©NBC/Courtesy Everett Collection



"Save the cheerleader, save the world."

▶ The NBC drama *Heroes* tells the story of ordinary people with extraordinary, superhuman capabilities. The hit show features an ensemble cast of 12 main characters.

Heroes

▶ *Project Runway*, a reality show competition for would-be fashion designers, is a ratings winner for Bravo and a guilty pleasure for millions of viewers.

Project Runway

Golden Globe Winners

Best Motion Picture, Drama: *Babel*

Best Actress, Drama: Helen Mirren, *The Queen*

Best Actor, Drama: Forest Whitaker,

The Last King of Scotland

Best Motion Picture, Musical or Comedy: *Dreamgirls*

Best Director, Motion Picture: Martin Scorsese,

The Departed

{Music}

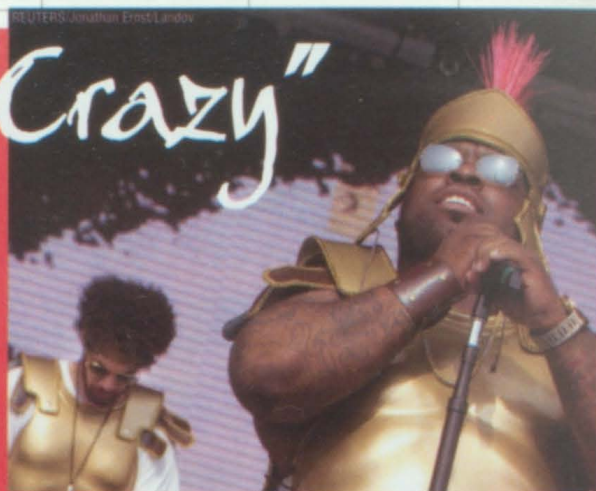


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► DJ/producer Danger Mouse and rapper/singer Cee-Lo Green call their collaboration Gnarl Barkley. Their first album, *St. Elsewhere*, features the hit song "Crazy."

► Justin Timberlake continues to prove that there's life after the boy band, with the release of his second solo album and two No. 1 singles.

"Crazy"



REUTERS/Mike Cassese/Landov

► Evanescence, a goth-alternative-metal-piano-arena-chamber-pop group, releases their second album, *The Open Door*, which hits No. 1 on the *Billboard* 200.

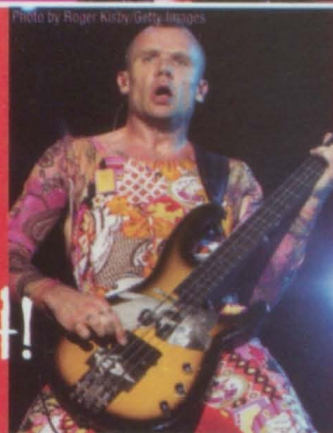
Evanescence



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► The Red Hot Chili Peppers complete their ninth studio album, the 28-track *Stadium Arcadium*, which debuts at No. 1 and garners four Grammy awards.

Red hot!



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► Panic! At the Disco, an alternative rock band from Las Vegas, achieves mainstream success, despite a heated, public war of words with their ex-bass player.

2006 Teen Choice Award winners

Single: Fall Out Boy, "Dance, Dance"

R&B Artist: Rihanna

R&B/hip-hop track: Nelly Furtado Featuring Timbaland, "Promiscuous"

Hot Female: Jessica Alba

Hot Male: Orlando Bloom



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► Shakira launches her biggest tour ever and is honored by the United Nations for her charity that protects children from violence in her native Colombia.

► Fergie, of The Black Eyed Peas, releases her first solo album, *The Dutchess*. Her second single, *Fergalicious*, hits No. 1 on *Billboard*'s Pop 100 chart.

{Fergalicious}





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◀ The Fray is nominated for two Grammys and releases a cover of John Lennon and Yoko Ono's "Happy Xmas (War is Over)" on iTunes.

The Fray

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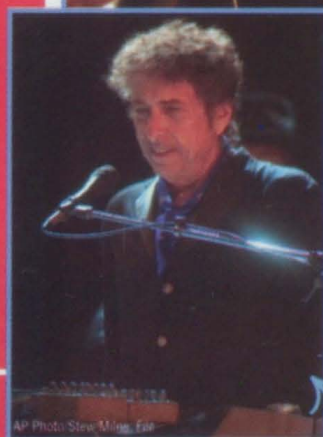
▶ Christina Aguilera releases *Back to Basics*, a critically acclaimed album of blues, soul and jazz music from the 1920s, '30s and '40s.



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◀ After 12 successful years in the music business, Mary J. Blige is stronger than ever in 2006. Her latest album, *The Breakthrough*, earns her three Grammy awards.

▶ With his studio album *Modern Times*, folk rock poet Bob Dylan, age 65, is the oldest living artist to top the U.S. album charts.



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Bob Dylan



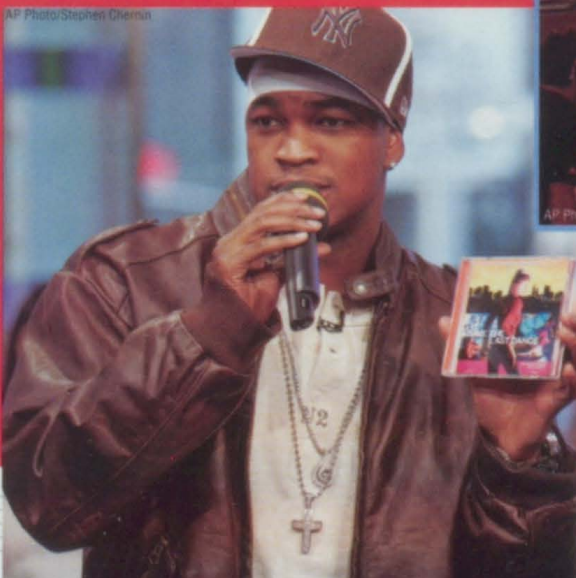
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Rascal Flatts

◀ When country superstars Rascal Flatts release *Me And My Gang*, their fourth album, it becomes the top-selling album of any genre for the year.

▼ Singer/songwriter Ne-Yo releases his hit solo album *In My Own Words* in 2006 and co-stars with Chris Brown in the movie *Stomp the Yard* in 2007.

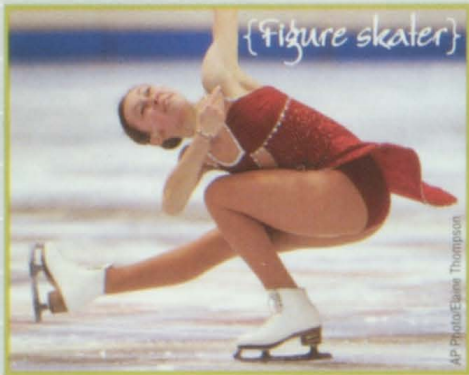
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▶ OK Go releases their oddball music videos on YouTube, performs a dance on treadmills live at the 2006 MTV Video Music Awards, and tours with Panic! At the Disco.

{Sports}



{Figure skater}

AP Photo/Ethan Thompson

- ▲ Kimmie Meissner, 17, wins the U.S. Figure Skating Championship in January 2007. She is the first female since 1991 to win a world championship before earning the title in her own country.

- ▶ In the victory lane of Homestead-Miami Speedway, NASCAR driver Jimmie Johnson celebrates his 2006 Nextel Cup title and a \$6.2 million paycheck.

NASCAR



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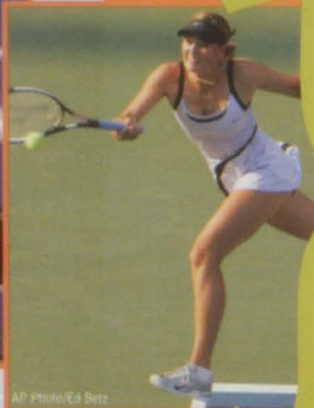
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- ▶ MVP Peyton Manning leads the Indianapolis Colts through a steady rain and past the Chicago Bears for a 29-17 victory in Super Bowl XLI.

Super Bowl champs



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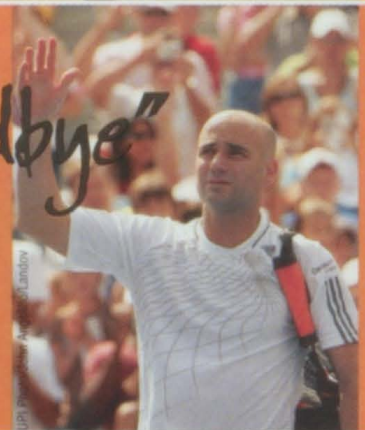


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- ▲ Roger Federer retains his No. 1 ranking for the third year in a row. Tennis star Maria Sharapova is the world's highest-paid female athlete. Both take home a U.S. Open Championship trophy in 2006.

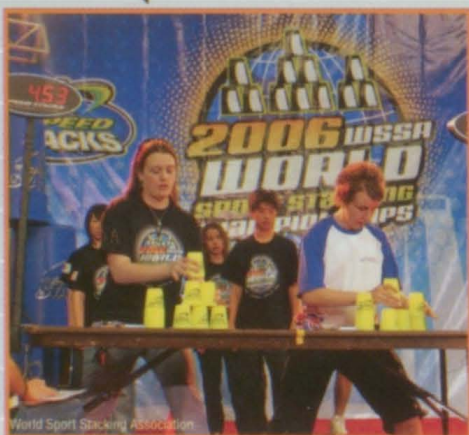
"Goodbye"

- ▶ When Andre Agassi retires from professional tennis at age 37, he receives a heartfelt, eight-minute standing ovation from the crowd at the 2006 U.S. Open.



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{Sport stacking}

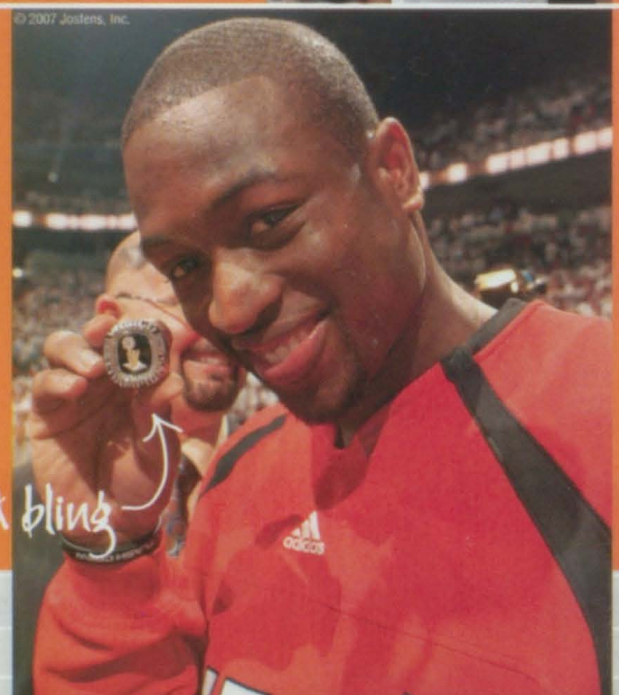


World Sport Stacking Association

- ▶ Nearly 1,100 competitors compete in the WSSA World Sport Stacking Championships in Denver. Forty-two new world records are set at the 2006 event.

- ▶ The Miami Heat defeat the Dallas Mavericks in six games to win the 2006 NBA Finals. Dwyane Wade, the Miami Heat guard, is named MVP.

NBA bling



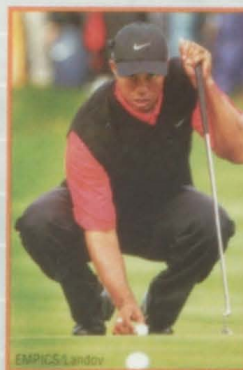
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◀ Shaun White makes his second unsuccessful attempt at the 1080 at the 2006 Summer X Games. He is the only skateboarder to attempt the move in competition.

X Games



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▲ Tiger Woods and Mexican sensation Lorena Ochoa are named the male and female AP Athletes of the Year.

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2006 World Series

◀ The National League champion St. Louis Cardinals win the 2006 World Series by defeating the American League champion Detroit Tigers in five games.

▶ The Florida Gators become the first school in history to win both the NCAA basketball and football titles in the same year after defeating heavily favored Ohio State 41-14 in the 2006 BCS National Championship.



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Stanley Cup

◀ In 2006, the Carolina Hurricanes defeat the Edmonton Oilers four games to three to win their first Stanley Cup in the first post-lockout championship.



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▼ International soccer superstar David Beckham signs a \$250 million contract to leave Real Madrid to play Major League Soccer in the U.S. for the Los Angeles Galaxy.

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Soccer



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▲ In the 2006 World Cup Finals, the most widely viewed sporting event in the world, Italy beats France for the title.

2006 Heisman Trophy Finalists:

Troy Smith - Winner

QB, Ohio State

Notes: 2,540

Darren McFadden

RB, Arkansas

Notes: 878

Brady Quinn

QB, Notre Dame

Notes: 782

{Faces}

My favorite celebrities:

- ▼ Fans mourn Steve Irwin, the Crocodile Hunter, who is killed by a stingray while snorkeling at Australia's Great Barrier Reef.



Crocodile hunter

- Due to the popularity of user-generated websites like MySpace and YouTube, *TIME* magazine's annual person of the year is "You."



- Jessica Simpson's divorce from Nick Lachey is finalized. Romantic rumors link her to skateboarder Bam Margera, NFL quarterback Tony Romo, singer John Mayer and comedian Dane Cook.



- Dynamic music legend James Brown, aka the Godfather of Soul, dies at the age of 73. He is remembered as one of the major musical influences of the past 50 years.

- Katie Couric is the anchor of the *CBS Evening News*, becoming the nation's first female solo anchor of a major television network's weekday evening newscast.



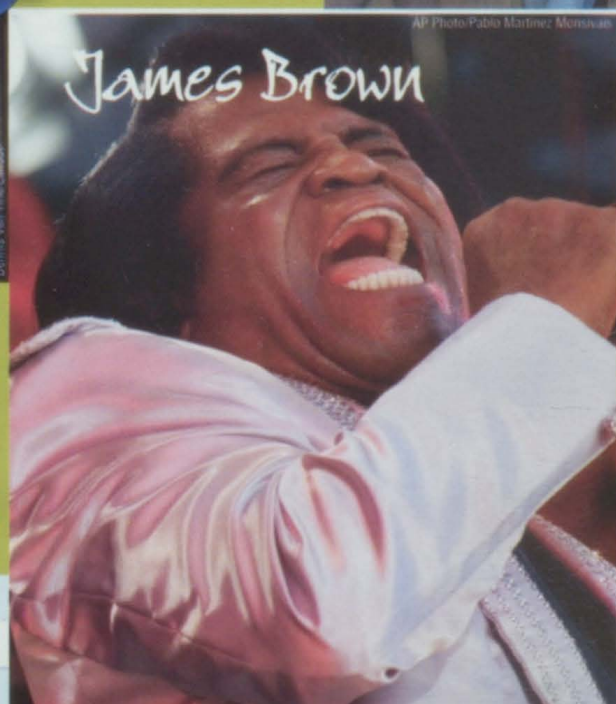
- Shortly after the birth of their second son makes headlines around the world, Britney Spears and Kevin Federline announce the end of their marriage.



- Brad Pitt and Angelina Jolie, also known as "Bradgelina," make headlines when Angelina gives birth to daughter Shiloh in the African nation of Namibia.



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